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Murdered . . . Mrs. Alma Rossignol, 23

Bereft . . . Philip Rossignol, 3

Captured . . . Renaud Rossignol, 26

Somerville Wife Slain—Accosted in front of her home in Otis st., Somerville, by her Army veteran husband, Renaud, from whom she was estranged, Mrs. Alma Rossignol was shot to death. Previously, her son, Philip, had been ordered into the house by his father. Rossignol, captured after he fled the scene in a taxi, was held without bail today after pleading not guilty to the murder.

International News Photos by Arthur Howard and Lou Rosenberg

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Tobin Orders Removal of MacDonald

Gov. Tobin informed Public Works Comr. Herman A. MacDonald today he was removing him from office for "inefficiency" in handling the state's federally aided highway program and "for the good of the service."

The removal is subject to approval of the executive council which will act on the matter at its regular meeting tomorrow.

In a letter to MacDonald, informing him of the action taken after a three-day hearing before the governor on the charges he preferred against the commissioner, Tobin said:

"I hereby remove you for cause from the office of commissioner of public works for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, this removal to take effect immediately."

In informing MacDonald his removal was for the good of the service, the Governor cited eight of 10 counts he specified on that charge in the ouster proceedings.

Tobin declared a study of the transcript of the testimony taken in last weeks' three-day hearing had shown two of the specifications were not substantiated and he was not including them.

These were the allegations that MacDonald had failed to perform duties imposed by law in the Logan airport construction and that confidential plans of his department had been made available to favored contractors.

"While I am not satisfied with the progress of the work at Logan Airport," the Governor's letter said, "I have come to the conclusion that because of the nature of the work there is room for a reasonable difference of opinion, and therefore find the specification has not been established and do not include it among causes of your removal.

"Moreover, while I find that confidential plans of the department of public works were made available to a favored contractor, responsibility therefor appears to be that of your subordinates, and I do not include that specification among reasons for your removal."

In his statement answering the governor, MacDonald said:

"I have received the message from the governor's office notifying me of my semoval from the office of commissioner of public works after more than a quarter-century of public service under seven different governors.

"For the first time in my life I have been accused of inefficiency. The evidence, if it can be called evidence, did not prove a single specification in the charges and, therefore, I am petitioning the executive council for a hearing.

"It is evident to me and, I believe, to the people of Massachusetts that the governor has a consuming passion to secure control of this department NOW. He just can't wait for my term to expire.

"It remains now for the executive council either to affirm or set aside the action of the governor."

MEETS FRENCH BRIDE, BABY—Holding his stepson, Daniel, 2, during first meeting in the U. S. between John Theodore of Chelsea, and his French war bride, Yvonne, the former GI displays his joy at the reunion. Theodore met mother and child at the South Station on their arrival here from Paris. INP by Louis Rosenberg

Soviet Sabotage, Spying On A-Bomb Plant Bared

By DAVID SENTNER
Boston American Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, April 16—Sabotage . . . beautiful women spies . . . violence . . . attempted bribery . . . counter-espionage . . . All this and more are unrecorded milestones along the road that twists through the mountains and valley floodlands of five states—the rugged route over which the precious material was brought—and continues to be trucked—to the nation's parent atomic bomb center. A digest of happenings along the road to Oak Ridge, gathered from government investigative agencies and other sources, includes:

Use of a battalion of pretty girls, operating from gas stations, striving to obtain atomic information from trusted drivers;

Wrecking of invaluable consignments;

Rifling of bills of lading;

The unexplained disappearance of a top secret package and its reported turnup in Moscow.

Ingenious devices to delay delivery of atomic bomb material.

It was four years ago that Army engineers selected Elza, Tenn., population 40, as the atomic bomb site. Smoky Mountain furnished a natural misty veil against potential air attack. Nearby Norris Dam offered sufficient power. Army authorities chose the poetic title of Oak Ridge for the reservation, which today has a population of 70,000.

A "hush hush" government contract was given to the Dillner Transfer Co. of Pittsburgh to carry secret instruments, machinery, etc., to Oak Ridge from eastern manufacturing centers.

Fifteen veteran truck drivers were checked and rechecked by the FBI. They carried a special War Department identification letter, only to be opened in an emergency.

Local constables and sheriffs along the route were a nuisance at first, demanding to know what the cargoes contained and where they were going. Army intelligence finally smoothed out this interference.

No guards accompanied the trailer trucks—this in order to divert attention. However, the 550-mile route was honeycombed with American counter-intelligence agents, located at gas stations, and co-operating with State Police patrols.

Foreign espionage activities were reported as infinitesimal until September, 1944. Then the Soviet espionage network started reaching out.

"Up until that date, there wasn't much sabotage along the route," asserted Ernie Adamson, chief counsel for the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

"The Russians didn't believe until then that we were making any progress on the atomic bomb.

STRUCK BY TRUCK—Little Robert Scott, 4, of Clarkson st., Dorchester, is in critical condition at City Hospital today after being struck by an oil truck while crossing Hamilton st., Dorchester. The operator of the truck, police said, swerved to avoid hitting another boy and ran into the Scott boy.

WATERTOWN CHIEF SWORN IN—James M. Igoe (right), a veteran of 29 years' service on the force, is sworn in as Chief of Police in Watertown by Town Clerk George B. Wellman. Chief Igoe succeeds John F. Millmore who resigned two years ago. INP by Myer Ostroff

UN Delays Action on Dropping Iran

NEW YORK, April 16 (AP)—The United Nations Security Council today postponed action on Russia's proposal for dropping the Russian-Iranian case and adjourned untiy 3 p. m. tomorrow with three delegates demanding immediate consideration of Poland's charges against Franco Spain.

France, Russia and Poland joined in asking immediate consideration of the Spanish case.

France presented a compromise proposal this morning designed to have Sec. Gen. Trygve Lie obtain complete information on the Iranian case for the Council's report to the General Assembly Sept. 3. This would have the effect of taking the case off the Council's docket.

Lie handed the Council a memorandum expressing doubt that the Council legally could keep the case on its agenda. He noted that the Council had not declared a dispute existed, that the governments had announced an agreement and that Iran had withdrawn the case.

The Council referred the Lie memorandum to its committee of experts for a report within two days.

11 Injured In Tunnel El Crash

Eleven persons were injured and a score of others shaken up today when a Revere Beach car crashed into the rear of an Orient Heights car which was discharging passengers at the Maverick tunnel station of the Boston Elevated at the height of the morning rush hour.

Only one of the 11 injured passengers, Mrs. Sarah O'Brien, 52, of Condor st., East Boston, was held for treatment. The others were released after treatment of minor injuries at East Boston Relief Hospital.

Mrs. O'Brien, suffering injuries of the back and left ankle, was taken to City Hospital.

Traffic in the tunnel, main terminal for inbound cars from East Boston, Chelsea and Revere, was tied up for half an hour.

George Fall, 64, of Spring st. extension, Medford, operator of the Revere Beach car, told police the brakes failed on the incline into the tunnel station and that he was unable to stop his car.

Many of the passengers were knocked down by the impact.

Chinese Reds Seize Changchun

CHUNGKING, April 16 (AP)—A Chinese government dispatch said today that Communist troops had broken into the Manchurian capital of Changchun after a night of unceasing assaults.

A government military spokesman reported dispatches from Changchun up to last midnight indicated the slim government garrison still clung to part of the city.

Restaurants Must Use Clean Dishes

Downtown restaurant owners were warned by Dr. Frederick J. Bailey, city health commissioner, to serve clean dishes and silverware as a result of numerous complaints of unsanitary eating conditions in many places.

"There is plenty of help available now," Dr. Bailey said.

BONUS CHECKS MAILED

State Treasurer John E. Hurley announced today that the first 5000 $100 bonus checks to "native son" discharged veterans, whose payments were made possible by a change in the bonus law, have been placed in the mail.

The Weather

LOCAL—Fair and colder tonight with lowest temperatures near freezing. Wednesday fair and continued cool. Diminishing northwest winds.

MINIMUM N. E. TEMPERATURES

Boston	47	Concord	42
Bangor	38	Hartford	43
Burlington	33	Providence	44

Sun rises, 5:02; sets, 6:27.
High tide, 11:30 p. m.; height, 9 ft. 10 in.
Warmest this date, 79, in 1896.
Coldest this date, 28, in 1912.

Truman Signs Bill to Block Petrillo Coercion of Radio

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP)—President Truman signed today legislation making it a federal offense to use coercion against radio broadcasters.

Sponsors said the measure is designed to halt certain practices of the AFL Musicians' Union headed by James C. Petrillo. It carries penalties of up to a year's imprisonment and $1000 fine for compelling or attempting to compel broadcasters to:

1—Hire more employes than they want.

2—Pay money for services not performed.

3—Pay unions for use of phonograph records.

4—Pay again for broadcasting a transcript of a previous program.

The same penalties could be invoked against persons interfering with broadcast of cultural or educational programs originating in foreign lands.

The legislation developed from an original attempt by Sen. Vandenberg (R.) of Michigan to override a Petrillo ban against broadcast of a student festival at Interlochen, Mich.

Petrillo contended the program took jobs from professional musicians.

Jealous Vet Held In Wife Murder

Renaud Rossignol, 26, of Otis st., Somerville, a bespectacled, quiet little man as he stood in Somerville District Court, pleaded not guilty today to the murder of his wife, Alma, 28, into whom he allegedly pumped three slugs from a German war-trophy pistol outside their home yesterday in a jealous rage.

Judge Charles F. Gadsby continued the case to May 11 and held Rossignol, a World War II sergeant, without bail.

The Somerville man was represented by Atty. Jeremiah Sullivan of Cambridge, who waived a reading of the complaint.

Rossignol readily confessed to the slaying, according to the police. They quoted him as saying he had lain in wait outside their home as his wife approached it with Vincent Severino of Flint st., Somerville. Then, the authorities stated, he had ordered Severino to enter the house and take with him the Rossignol son, Philip, 3.

"Yes, I did it," State Police Detective Lt. Joseph Crescio and Somerville Police Lt. Daniel O'Connell quoted him. "I did it 'cause I didn't want her to get a divorce; didn't want to lose my kid. I've seen her out with men before. Only yesterday afternoon, I met her down at the corner with a man. So I went home to Cambridge to get my gun.

"I waited for her to come home. I met her outside of the front door. I told her companion to take my boy and get into the house. He said: 'Why?'"

"I pulled the gun out and said: "Why? I'll show you why. Now scram!"

"Then he went into the house with the kid. Without waiting any longer I shot my wife. I guess I fired three times. You know the rest."

Lt. Crescio said police would ask a continuance in court so they could present the case to the grand jury which meets May 6.

Rossignol, who fled the scene in a taxicab and was captured after a two-mile chase and disarmed by Patrolman William L. Doyle of Cambridge, was booked on a first degree murder charge at Somerville police headquarters.

His sister, Mrs. Gerald Whelan of Massachusetts ave., Cambridge, with whom he has been making his home, told police her brother had been twice wounded while serving with the infantry in Europe. She added he had two shattered eardrums and had been under treatment for a long time in an American hospital in Germany for a highly nervous condition due to battle shock.

Severino, who had escorted Mrs. Rossignol home, told detectives he was mounting the stairs when he heard three shots in quick succession. He hurried to the sidewalk to see the young mother lying in a pool of blood on the sidewalk.

Rossignol lingered at the scene for a minute, according to Severino, then fled afoot in the direc-

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Model's Ex-Fiance Sentenced
INP by Bill Jones

$1500 Wire Hoax Gets Sailor Jail, Costs Him Girl

Harry Walker, 27-year-old ex-merchant mariner, mixed romance and larceny with such ill effect that he drew a reformatory sentence in Roxbury District Court today and lost the 19-year-old artist's model who was to have married him next Saturday.

Walker was sentenced by Judge Samuel Eisentadt after he pleaded guilty to larceny of $1500 from a Portland, Ore., father to whom he sent a telegram saying the man's daughter, a department store worker here, was "ill" and in dire need of funds.

Harry Walker

The father, George Hohman, a filling station proprietor, telegraphed the money in the belief that Walker was a Boston attorney. Walker collected and pocketed it.

The daughter, a former Army flight nurse, Miss Marie Hohman of Commonwealth ave., lives in the same apartment house as the girl Walker was pledged to marry, Miss Toni Magazu, model and actress.

Contemplating events today, she said Walker had told her he served as a gunner with the famous Eighth Air Force in "England and Okinawa."

She knew him as "George Wedemeyer," of Ft. Lewis, Wash. He proposed to her three weeks after they met, she said.

While he was being arraigned in Roxbury court Det. Thomas Conaty appeared before Judge John Brackett of municipal court and obtained another warrant, charging him with larceny of $500 from Andrew Campbell of Algona, Wash., an electrical engineer.

Police said Walker in that crime represented himself as counsel for the Algona man's son, Andrew J. Campbell, II, veteran who has been living with his sister, Mrs. Charles Johnson, in Jane rd., Newton Center.

Police said Walker telegraphed the father his son was in serious trouble as the result of a "manslaughter case" and required money. Walker collected at Western Union, according to police.

Shaky Democrats Talk With Truman

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP) —Half a dozen Democratic Senators whose seats are at stake in the November election had a chat with President Truman today and later posed with him on the White House steps.

The Senators said they talked about the legislative program.

JOHN WILLIAMS, OFFICER WILLIAM DOYLE, JOHN R. JONES
Figured In Capture Of Army Vet After Fatal Shooting
INP by Arthur Howard

In Chase

VINCENT SEVERINO
Ordered Away Before Murder
INP by Arthur Howard

Busy Retirement

JASPER, Mo., April 16 (AP) —For 41 years as a railway postal clerk, Eli W. Scott looked forward to puttering in his garden some.

Four years ago he retired. Now he is a practicing attorney, justice of the peace, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, secretary of the school board, notary public, real estate salesman, and director of Jasper's "Saturday afternoon jamboree."

He also has a garden to putter in.

Fiery Clashes Feature Curley Heat Strike Talk

As chilled tenants of the Old Harbor Village housing project shivered today at predictions of near freezing temperatures for tonight, a stormy conference in Mayor Curley's office in an effort to settle the strike of 38 union firemen in Boston's eight housing projects left the dispute still up in the air.

Representatives of the Boston Housing Authority and the striking firemen agreed to resume the session at 3 p. m. after the first conference broke up without accomplishing anything after a heated hour and one-half of argument.

So heated did the exchange become that at one point the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas R. Reynolds of the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, vice chairman of the Housing Authority, rose from his seat and retired quietly from the room.

Mayor Curley tried repeatedly to get Housing Authority officials to agree to submit the dispute to arbitration but met with repeated rebuffs and when he spoke of not letting the tenants suffer, Chairman John Carroll of the Housing Authority declared:

"Now, for people who never had heat or hot water or anything else, we're paying these men over $46 a week."

Henry J. Brennan, labor relations advisor for the FPHA, also disagreed on arbitration and said his last understanding with the union was that the men would accept 44 hours pay for 40 hours work. A raise now, he declared, would upset the budget.

Joseph P. McNamara, business representative of the strikers, insisted the men would not return to work unless agreement was reached on arbitrating the dispute.

As the conference ended with agreement to resume at 3 p. m., Curley drew McNamara aside and said:

"You can't fight the federal government. Are you crazy? Get your men back to work so the tenants won't suffer."

McNamara insisted he would not send the men back to work until agreement had been reached and said he doubted if the conference would accomplish anything.

Meanwhile, tenants at the Old Harbor project faced a chilly night, regardless of whether or not the dispute was settled. An employe of the project said it required at least 15 hours to get up heat with the high pressure boilers used there.

Residents in the seven other projects, where low pressure boilers are operated, were not so badly off, for superintendents and maintenancemen managed to provide some heat.

But at Old Harbor the situation was so bad, with many children ill from colds and measles, that Dr. Frederick J. Bailey, city health commissioner, assigned an emergency staff of doctors and nurses to keep an eye on the ailing.

Many of the residents at Old Harbor Village were using gas kitchen stoves to provide some heat.

The temperature was recorded unofficially in the 40's during the night and health investigators said in the Old Harbor project alone there were 15 cases of measles, one case of chickenpox, eight bedridden occupants and a large number of elderly persons.

Magic Only Can End Heat Strike?

Irritated at the refusal of both factions in the housing project strike to listen to reason today, Mayor Curley informed them at the close of their City Hall conference he had the one man in the nation who could solve their problems.

All turned expectantly as the mayor walked to the door and summoned imperiously to an unseen person outside.

In walked Blackstone, the magician, come to pay His Honor a courtesy call.

"You'll need a magician to settle this one," Curley said.

"I could cut the cards," Blackstone suggested.

BILLY, 6, IN BED WITH MEASLES AT OLD HARBOR VILLAGE
Mrs. William Lewis Cares for Ill Child in Home Without Heat
INP by Edwin Stephan

No. Shore Strike Ties Lumber

Paralyzing lumber deliveries on the North Shore, 75 truck drivers, tallymen and helpers of Local 42, AFL, walked out today demanding wage boosts.

Picketing of lumber yards in Salem, Lynn, Swampscott, Beverly and Danvers started immediately.

Drivers demand an increase from 99c to $1.18 an hour, tallymen and helpers from 88c to $1.08 an hour.

Gen. H. Charles Cole, chairman of the State Board of Arbitration, called management and union officials for a meeting at the State House this afternoon.

TRAWLERS STAY TIED UP

Another attempt to end Boston's 16-week-old trawler tieup failed today as members of the Port of Boston Authority reported "no results" from a Custom House hearing.

Many Bay State Babies Sent to Black Market

A charge that many illegitimate children born in Massachusetts are being "siphoned into the black market in babies outside the state" was made before the legislative ways and means committee today by Miss Helen J. Crowley, Boston City Hospital social worker.

Speaking in favor of a proposal to establish a special recess commission which would study and recommend revision of the state's adoption laws, Miss Crowley told the committee the number of illegitimate children born in the state had increased greatly during the war years.

"Last year we had a drop from 3500 to 1700 in the number of legitimate childrn born at City Hospital," she said.

"At the same time," seh continued, "there was an increase from 170 to 300 in illegitimate births. Many of these children were placed for adoption on discharge of the mothers, 10 days after delivery."

Rev. James A. Doyle, director of the Catholic Charitable Bureau, told the committee only one-eighth of the total number of children placed in foster homes in 1944 and 1945 came under the supervision of the State Department of Public Welfare or other recognized agencies.

"Many unwed mothers," he said, "have been subjected to visits from persons who asked them to sign petitionsf or adoption long before the time has arrived when they should even consider such a proposal."

Public Welfare Comm. Patrick A. Tompkins of the legislation, urged the committee to recommend the original ppropriation of $15,000, which had been cut to $10,000 by the legal affairs committee when it approved the measure.

He placed Abp. Cushington on record as favoring the investigation and said the last survey of the state's adoption laws was made 15 years ago.

Also speaking in favor of the measure were Harold S. Fuller, Wintrop, member of the State Welfare Dept. advisory board; Alred F. Whitman, secretary of the Children's Aid Society of Boston; Dr. Wilson W. Knowlton, superintendent of Boston Lying-In Hospital, and Rev. Howard Kellett, who recorded Episcopal Bishop Henry Knox Sherrill in favor.

Others were Charles Gordon, Greater Boston Community Council; Rev. Harry Jennings, Mass. Council of Churches; Arthur Howard, Mass. Child Welfare Council; Mrs. Sylvia F. Bushnell, State Welfare Dept. advisory board; Donald W. Moreland, Mass. Council of Social Workers; Violet Pendleton, representing a maternity home, and Dora Margolis, speaking for Jewish social service agencies.

Bowles Charged With Huge Plot

Chester A. Bowles and his OPA organization in Washington operate a giant "propaganda" machine with an annual expense account of more than $2,000,000, Thomas R. Flynn, executive director of the Boston Apartment House Owners' Ass'n, charged today.

In letters of protest to Massachusetts members of Congress Flynn declared Bowles uses a staff of 427 highly paid writers, lobbyists and propagandists to fight all legislation which would "free American industry from the shackles of a frozen economy."

Trio Held in 10 Revere Breaks

Revere police today had three men in custody, all held on burglary charges, who they said had been responsible for 10 recent breaks with loot totaling at least $5000.

Ten charges of breaking and entering and larceny were placed against Marvin Schwartz, 22, of Dehone st., Revere, arrested last night two hours after he allegedly broke into the home of Louis Berenson, Nahant ave.

As a result of questioning Schwartz, police made early morning arrests of Sidney Marcus, 21, of Shirley st., and Archie Lisson, 23, of Walnut ave., both of Revere.

Each was charged with participating in two breaks with Schwartz.

POPPY SALESMAN — Little Betty Lou Hall of Eaton Rapids, Mich., daughter of an infantryman killed in Europe, hugs the favorite doll she will take with her when she visits President Truman at the White House on Thursday. Betty Lou has been chosen to make the first sale of the VFW 1946 Buddy Poppy campaign to the President.

International News Photo

JOSEPH LAZARO, OF WALTHAM, EDNA M. BASNET
Blind Waltham Vet Greets English Bride-to-Be

British Girl to Wed Battle Blinded Yank

This story began in England, when a carefree GI met up with a laughing English girl, before combat shattered their brightest dreams. The story would have ended in hopelessness in an American hospital for blind soldiers, but for the girl and her determination to put their love above every obstacle.

And so Joseph Lazaro, 29, of Main st., Waltham, and Miss Edna Louise Basnett, 21, of Prescot, Lancashire, England, will soon be married.

Joe, who didn't think he had a chance after a land mine blasted the sight out of his eyes, and wrote the girl in despair to call off their engagement, was still so dazzled with joy today that he could only grin and hold the pretty brunette close to him.

Edna, staying with the Lazaro family and making preparations for the nuptials, didn't have much to say, either except, that Joe's blindness didn't make any difference in their love.

The couple met in 1942, outside a fish and chip shop in Prescot. Joe was in training then. During the general conversation of a group of GIs and several English girls, Joe asked Edna for a date and she consented.

For eight straight evenings they met, then Joe was sent to a port of debarkation and thence to Africa. It was there, while neutralizing Nazi mines, that one exploded and blinded him.

In a base hospital, doctors took out the left eye, but left the right one in because it was still good enough to detect light and dark.

Army doctors performed seven operations in the hope that sight could be restored to the dim right eye. But the eye did not improve.

Whereupon Joe wrote to Edna, breaking the news of his blindness and telling her to forget about him. But Edna wrote back that this made no difference to her and she was still determined to go through with their plans to marry in America, where they could start a new life.

Joe thought she would change with the passing of time, but for 14 months Edna pleaded with various agencies for a passport to America.

It wasn't until Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt arrived for the first UN meeting that Edna got her break. She wrote Mrs. Roosevelt, and on March 30, Edna was aboard the Swedish liner Drotningholm. Early this month she landed in New York.

At home in Waltham, Edna and Mrs. Lazaro learned Joe was ready to leave the hospital for good. Last Friday he was discharged.

These Days

By GEORGE E. SOKOLSKY

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THE ANNUAL REPORT of the Pennsylvania Railroad, recently issued, calls attention to the healthy maturity of our country. This road is now celebrating its hundredth anniversary.

But as I read the letter-press, looked at the maps, charts and other ballyhoo, I could only think of one fact:

Namely, no government ever built, ever added to, ever strengthened, ever improved this largest of American railroads. No government, Federal, State or municipal, ever did anything for the line, but all took taxes out of its prosperity.

It was created by private persons as a private business venture. It has so remained except when, almost disastrously, the Government took it over during World War I.

It is a private property today. And no government-owned railroad in the world equals it in size, service, or usefulness.

What is true of the Pennsylvania is, in large measure, true of every American railroad.

THE STRENGTH of the United States during this war lay not in government regulation or control, nor in the piling of bureau upon bureau, nor in expanding of the personnel of departments.

It lay in the railroads, the steel plants, the automobile factories, the little factories owned by families, the big enterprises owned by myriads of stockholders.

No government-owned enterprises anywhere in the world showed the ability or the capacity to produce in equal quantity or with equal efficiency.

The war was a TEST, and private enterprise in the United States MET THE TEST.

The railroads of this country are controlled by a government agency, the Interstate Commerce Commission, whose function it is to co-ordinate the policies and practices of a private enterprise in transportation with the public interest.

The Interstate Commerce Commission was originally created to maintain the capitalist—that is, the competitive system—in railroading.

It was to keep the railroads in actual competition in a field that, by its very nature, is a natural monopoly.

As it is a government bureau, the ICC could not fail to expand its purposes and activities over the years. As one looks at the story of one century of the Pennsy lines, the answer is that whatever the method, whatever the relations between railroad and ICC, the people of the United States got the best railroad system in the world.

TWO FORCES have, however, opposed the railroads: *One, the wholesome, beneficial competition from new and different means of transportation; two, the crackpot Fascistic element in the American bureaucracy that always seeks to destroy by government regulation and control what better and more able men built as private enterprises.*

The first factor, private automobiles, bus lines, airplanes and whatever new means of transportation appear, is the normal concomitants of a free system. These afford all the stimulus and incentive of competition.

The railroads are too hamstrung by government control to meet that competition efficiently and in the best tradition of American initiative.

They have to be bound by too many rules, regulations, decrees, consents. And while admitting freely that the ICC is the most competent and honestly administered bureau, the psychological effect of red-tape upon the human mind is to inhibit broad and riskful innovation.

LESS control and MORE competition would improve most of our railroads.

SOCIALISTIC TENDENCIES of a Fascistic-minded bureaucracy, however, find even the ICC inadequate. What these office-holders seek really is GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP whether overt or disguised.

They would have government ownership of everything, although in the United States they dare not use the term, so they permit themselves the euphemism of "planning."

Of them, Ludwig Von Mises said:

". . . The only alternative to the determination of market prices by the choices of all consumers is the determination of values by the judgment of some small groups of men, no less liable to error and frustration than the majority, notwithstanding the fact that they are called 'authority'."

When one looks at the Pennsylvania Railroad on its hundredth anniversary and, let us say, the OPA of the moment, one cannot have as much respect for the competence of private enterprise.

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"You're taken, I suppose?"

GUS NICIASE (LEFT), BEVERLY CORT AND HAROLD KNIGHT
"Salome" Dancer Storm Center of School Strike
AP Wirephoto

Her Salome Dance Irks School Coach

DETROIT, April 16 (AP)—The case of Lincoln High School's "Salome," whose scantily-veiled dance was the hit of a recent 'teen-age assembly revue, went before the school board today.

An estimated 150 of the 800 rural high school students struck Monday after a rumor spread that 16-year-old Beverly Cort would be expelled for her forbidden performance in the revue.

Mrs. Koski

Walter Bradley, principal, said there is no thought of expelling the girl and that she probably will not be punished at all. He said he asked the students to return to classes and to send a delegation to discuss the matter with the school board.

Beverly, Bradley said, was to have worn slacks in her appearance in the assembly room. Instead, he said, she slipped out of them at the last moment and "Salome" danced in abbreviated shorts and ballet skirt with a top resembling a bathing suit.

A "vigorous protest" came from the show's sponsor, Mrs. Stella Koski, civics teacher at the school.

Bradley said Mrs. Koski had asked elimination of the skit, entitled "Salome, Where She Danced," on grounds that it was more suited for adults than for school children, and that the student show people had agreed.

"Yet when the show came on, 'Salome' danced," Bradley said. "They slipped the skit back in on Mrs. Koski."

Bradley said he didn't feel the sinuous Beverly was "too much to blame" for the furore.

Mrs. Koski, who was teaching a class when this skit went on, said she would have stopped the show if she'd seen "Salome" dance, but added:

"She's an excellent dancer."

Arbitration Expert Wins Divorce in Home Lockout

Walter H. Petry, an old hand at settling disputes because he is a union organizer for telephone workers, ran into trouble in his domestic negotiations and finally was the victim of a lock-out by his own wife.

In Suffolk probate court, where he won an uncontested divorce from Mrs. Jeannette G. Petry of Mulberry pl., Roxbury, Petry told Judge John V. Mahoney the lock-out climaxed weeks of family bickering and trouble over money matters.

Petry said that when he returned home from work one night in 1942, he found the doors bolted, forcing him to go to a hotel. His wife later told him she had seen enough of him, he testified.

Petry declared that although he had a good job with the Western Electric Co., his wife insisted on taking up a beautician's career. Later, he added, she "took up" with gentleman friends.

Judge Mahoney awarded Petry custody of his 17-year-old son, Edward, but ruled that custody of a daughter, Frances, 19, should go to the mother. Mrs. Petry was also given a $500 settlement in lieu of alimony and a deed to her home.

Charging cruelty, Mrs. Mabel Kenney of Elm st., Medford, won a divorce from George Leo Kenney, a Boston police officer. She testified he once scalded her with coffee during an argument over money.

Divorces were also granted to Mrs. Grace E. Beede of Moulton st., Dorchester, from Warren J. Beede, and to Mrs. Julia Ann Rego of Grainger st., Dorchester, from Manuel Rego, Jr., of Cambridge.

PLEADS FOR WONDER DRUG—Mrs. Joseph Diamond (left), of Philadelphia, comforts her son, Julius, 21, who underwent a serious operation recently while her husband seeks to obtain a vial of streptomycin, so-called "wonder drug," in an effort to save the youth's life. None was available through regular channels, although black marketeers are reportedly selling the drug for $150. The usual price is $25.
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Girl Gives New Clues In Brighton Ride Killing

A 24-year-old Brighton girl, sociable and attractive, became an important witness today in the ride murder of Edward W. McCarthy, 37, Brighton railroad fireman, in a lonely lane in Wellesley. The witness, Harriet Thomas, 24, of Newton st., was picked up on her offer of "good information in the case"—information that McCarthy and the man accused of his murder, John R. Patterson, 41, Waldo ter., Brighton, visited her apartment eight hours before the slaying.

Victim and accused sipped a couple of bottles of beer in her apartment about noontime Thursday and then left her home, according to her story to police.

Police found her at a Brighton cafe after she twice had telephoned the station that she wanted talk.

"I hate to see an innocent man take the rap," she volunteered. "I have some good information." She was held overnight in the house of detention and today told investigators about three persons figuring in the case and one other man who thus far had played no part in the investigation.

She said a Brighton house painter who was questioned earlier and released, visited her house at 8 a. m. Thursday and stayed until 6 o'clock that night. She said that Charles ———, another friend, arrived at 9 a. m. and they all were joined by McCarthy and Patterson at 11:30 that morning.

"We did some kidding and opened up a few bottles of beer," she told Special Officer James McPhee of the Brighton station.

"McCarthy and Patterson left about a half-hour later and Charlie ——— followed them out a few minutes later. I knew all present except McCarthy, who was introduced to me for the first time that morning. There was no fight or trouble at my place. Everyone was good natured."

State Police Lts. Michael Cullinane and John Delay were summoned to hear her story.

The surprise witness, 115 pounds, 5 feet 2 and pert, said she was born in Brighton and shared an apartment with her sister. She said she recently had spent some time in New Hampshire, but returned to Brighton a few weeks ago.

Earlier, detectives had established that the victim and their suspect had gone twice to the East Natick home of Patterson's sister.

It was learned that inspectors now are seeking another man who might have witnessed the murder and may have been involved as an accessory.

The murder gun, a 38-caliber revolver, from which three bullets were fired into McCarthy at close range, still is missing. Missing also—at least as far as police will disclose—is a motive for McCarthy's slaying. Authorities are convinced, however, there was more to the murder than just a drinking argument.

Meanwhile, Patterson was held at Dedham jail charged with first degree murder. Under tests are his clothing and shoes, left at a Roxbury cleanser's after he purchased a snappy new outfit in which he surrendered.

Patterson has staunchly denied any knowledge of the killing.

HARRIET THOMAS, 24
Witness in McCarthy Slaying
INP by Joseph Parrell

Hunt Student Missing From Mt. Holyoke

SOUTH HADLEY, April 16—Mt. Holyoke College officials today reported the disappearance of Miss Dorothy A. Ball, 20, a deaf student, and sought police aid.

The girl, described as a striking blonde who is able to read lips expertly, was last seen Monday morning boarding a bus for Holyoke. She was carrying a suitcase and wore a fur coat.

College officials, while expressing no immediate concern for her safety, said her departure was unannounced, contrary to a rule whereby students register out when leaving the campus.

Miss Ball, a junior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ball of Muncie, Ind. She is a "gifted student" in spite of her handicap, Mt. Holyoke authorities said.

Burglars Steal Safe, $1500

Theft of a 300-pound safe containing $1500 from a North End restaurant supply firm during the night was disclosed by discovery of the safe, rifled, in the Malden river today.

Patrolman Cornelius R. Rosedahl of the Malden police spotted the 3x3 feet safe in the river mud at low tide, near the Medford st. bridge. Officers found it had been forced open.

Ownership was traced to the Morris Gordon & Son Co., Sudbury st., in the market district, who did not know of the safe's loss until notified by police.

Court Referees Hockey Fracas

An unscheduled exhibition of fist-swinging at Boston Garden last Jan. 12, when hockey instead of boxing was on tap, ended with all sides satisfied today in municipal court with Judge Jennie L. Barron as referee.

Evo Somontes

Three Chicago Blackhawk players, John Mariucci, Reginald Hamilton and Joseph Cooper, and the Hawks' trainer, Edward Froelich, appeared on charges of assault and battery in connection with a battle with Evo Somontes, 30, an ex-GI, of Water st., Quincy.

Judge Barron looked over some 30 witnesses gathered for the case, visualized a two-day case, and then commented: "What, isn't the war over yet? Can't you folks come to some agreement?"

Counsel for both sides adjourned to a corridor and after a brief time Somontes announced that he was ready to file an acknowledgement of satisfaction. Thereupon, the case was filed.

The affray occurred during a dispute over a Hawk goal scored in a game in which the Bruins beat the visitors, 8 to 5.

Settlement made by the Blackhawks was not disclosed, but there was no hand shaking over the agreement.

Big B-29 Speeds Tiny Boy From Texas to Hub Hospital

Rushed to New England by a B-29 Superfortress in a time-shattering flight of five hours, 40 minutes from Texas, 10-month-old John Michael Powell, son of a former Army physician, was treated at Children's Hospital today for a rare heart and lung disorder.

In the first mercy flight of its kind by a B-29 to be recorded locally, the giant bomber arrived at Westover Field, Chicopee, from Ft. Worth, Tex., last night, and an awaiting ambulance sped the sick child to Boston.

Windstorms which prevailed yesterday along the eastern seaboard had no effect on the plane, as it maintained substratosphere altitudes of 24,000 to 26,000 feet.

The infant was accompanied by his parents, Maj. and Mrs. John Powell of Ft. Worth, who said he has suffered respiratory trouble since birth. Maj. Powell was recently discharged from the Army Air Forces.

Despite the child's condition, he suffered no discomfort from the extreme altitude of the flight because the plane's cabin was pressurized.

Hospital officials said little John was "very comfortable" at present. Whether he will undergo an operation depends on the outcome of diagnostic tests, they said.

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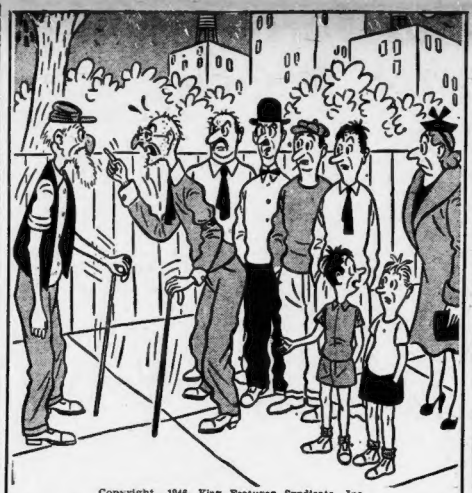
Vanishing Home

LOS ANGELES, April 16 (AP)—Dean Daly, who manages an airport, reported the theft of a 15 by 20-foot frame building.

He discovered his loss when he took a prospective tenant to inspect the house. It was gone.



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"First it was 'my brother can lick your big brother.' Then, 'my old man can lick your old man,' and so on—pretty soon somebody's going to have to face the music!"

Crime Hard Job

WESTBROOK, Me., April 16 (AP)—A thief who stole $20 from Lawrence Seavey's garage jimmied all but one of 13 windows before he got in. The one he by-passed wasn't locked.

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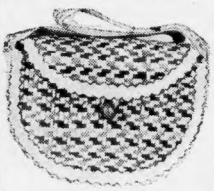

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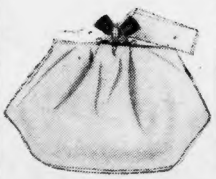

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Controls May Force More Butter, Meat

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP) — The government mapped a new attack on the snarled food situation today involving butter, bread, meat—and black markets. Wartime controls were ordered slapped back in an effort to spur butter production, and Stabilization Director Chester Bowles foresaw a "real improvement within the next 60 days" on this front.

The move for butter production was bracketed with OPA action to keep consumers' bills at their present levels for milk, butter, cheese and other dairy products. A program of larger subsidies for dairy farmers was announced yesteday to compensate for higher feed and labor costs.

On butter, the OPA aimed to overcome a situation which had made it more profitable to use butterfat for ice cream and other products than for butter. Accordingly, the wartime ban will be restored on the sale of whipping cream and restrictions will be placed on the amount of butterfat in ice cream.

The program also includes price ceilings for the first time on cream used in bakery products and ice cream.

Prices Seen no Higher With Meat Ceiling Off

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP) —George R. Dressler, executive secretary of the National Ass'n of Meat Dealers, said today that if OPA meat regulations are removed prices will "not be any higher than the black market of today."

Dressler contended that the "theory of price control may have merit," but in practice control has broken down so far as meat is concerned.

He testified before the Senate agriculture committee which is investigating meat shortages and black markets.

Bowles, Sen. Taft in Row at Hearing

WASHINGTON, April 16 (INS) —The Senate banking committee hearing on price control extension became turbulent today as Republican Senators slashed repeatedly at Economic Stabilizer Chester Bowles' policies.

At one point Bowles snapped that he would "take to the Maine woods" if Sen. Taft (R.) of Ohio were in charge of price control. That exchange started when Bowles told Taft:

"I'll make you a bet that if you were price administrator you'd be in trouble."

Taft slapped back, saying: "If I were administrator I'd remove two-thirds of all price controls."

Jams, Oranges To Cost More

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP) —OPA today granted a price increase to the makers of jams, jellies, apple butter and fruit preserves to cover a half cent a pound rise in sugar prices authorized Feb. 10.

Retail prices may go up slightly as a result. The one-pound jar of jam or jelly, for instance, may go up about one cent. OPA said the higher cost of sugar means an increase to jam and jelly producers of about 1¼ to 2 per cent in processing costs.

Housewives in some areas will pay up to a cent a pound more for oranges, lemons and tangerines tomorrow.

OPA said it could not cite areas where increases may result.

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War Trial Scare

NUERNBERG, April 16 (AP) —A pistol shot in the hallway outside the war crimes courtroom startled judges, prisoners and visiting American publishers today.

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Orators Will Enjoy Gala Stay in Boston

By BERT FORD

Preparations have been completed to receive the visiting student orators from 13 major cities throughout the country at the eastern zone finals to be held here on April 24, and a varied program of entertainment has been arranged for the guests.

The finals in this zone will include winners in the 1946 Hearst Newspapers National Oratorical Contest: "Andrew Jackson, Seventh President of the United States," and will be held in the auditorium of Boston Latin School where the national finals on May 2 will also be held.

Following their arrival here on April 23, the visitors will be entertained at a banquet at Copley-Plaza Hotel. The next day they will be received at the State House by Gov. Tobin, and at City Hall by Mayor Curley.

During the visit there will be trips to Concord and Lexington and to shrines of historic interest, including Bunker Hill monument.

The two Boston winners, representing both high school and college groups, will be hosts to the visitors. The Boston champions are William A. Burke of Everett, a student at Staley College of the Spoken Word, and Ronald Weyand, 17, of Quincy, a student at Boston College High School.

During the eastern zone finals where the winners will compete there will be music by Ruby Newman's famed band, with musical arrangements by Sammy Eisen, and both Newman and Eisen will appear in person here from a New York engagement.

A member of this popular band is Miss Joan Hunt of South Boston, trumpeter, and she is co-composer, with Newman and Eisen, of "Andrew Jackson Overture," based on selections which were "hit parade" songs during the Jacksonian era. This overture will be played at the eastern zone finals for the first time.

Entertainment at the finals will also include the Girls' High School Glee Club of 80 voices, conducted by Joseph H. Gildea, assistant director of music in the Boston public schools. The piano accompanist will be Edward Illingworth. The Glee Club is under supervision of Louis A. McCoy, headmaster of the school.

Get Tickets!

Although admission is free to the public for the Eastern zone finals on Wednesday, April 24, in the auditorium of Boston Latin School, tickets are being issued because of the limited seating capacity of the auditorium. They may be applied for to Oratory Contest Editor, Boston Record-American and Sunday Advertiser, 5 Winthrop sq., Boston.

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AIDED NAZIS?—Mary Denis, Italian movie star, is under arrest in Rome on charges of having contact with high German officers during the war. She denies the charges

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War Department Flayed on Draft

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP)—Sen. Edwin C. Johnson (D.) of Colorado said today the War Department is responsible for what he termed the "confused and chaotic" draft extension bill passed by the House.

The legislation, providing for a nine-month extension of the draft law beyond May 15, prohibits any inductions until Oct. 15 and halts drafting of teen-age youths.

In a bristling letter to War Sec. Patterson, the Colorado Senator spoke of the War Department's "blind and congenital stupidity" and said the department apparently had assumed "that members of Congress are dummies and that they can be awed and influenced by a mass of distorted mathematics."

Holy Week Rites Continue Tonight

Holy Week was being observed by congregations in Greater Boston churches today as preparations went forward for the climactic services on Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

The Rev. Edward V. Winsper, S. J., will conduct the St. Francis Xavier devotions at the Church of the Immaculate Conception tonight at 8. In East Boston, the solemn annual devotion of the 13 Tuesdays will be conducted at St. Lazarus' Church by Oblate Fathers.

Seder Rites to Mark 2d Day of Passover

Seder services were due to be held tonight in the homes, synagogues and hospitals of Greater Boston Jewry during the second day of the eight-day Passover celebration.

The observance was begun at Congregation Kehilath Jacob, Mattapan, by Rabbi Samuel I. Korff.

Coast Guard Enlistees Face Freedom May 2

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP)—the Coast Guard announced today all enlisted reserves and regulars serving under involuntary extensions of enlistment will be eligible for discharge May 2.

House Cites 17 For Contempt

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP)—The House todap adopted a resolution approving contempt proceedings against 17 persons. The roll call vote was 292 to 56.

The action, which does not require Senate concurrence, was requested by the House committee on unAmerican activities. The resolution said the individuals displayed "wilful and deliberate refusal" to supply subpoenaed records.

They include Miss Helen R. Bryan, executive secretary of the joint anti-Fascist refugee committee of New York, and 16 members of its executive board.

Evidence now will be turned over to the U. S. attorney for the District of Columbia. He, in turn, could present the case to a grand jury.

Carrier Wasp Aground in Gale

NEW YORK, April 16 (AP)—The 27,000-ton U. S. Wasp, carrier veteran of a dozen Pacific naval actions, broke from its mooring at Bayonne, N. J., today in a 35-knot wind and drifted aground on the New Jersey shore across the channel from its Navy dock. Ship an dpersonnel were uninjured. The Navy said tugs would attempt to refloat the giant ship at 9 o'clock tonight, high tide.

Strain on the carrier's hawser was so great that a large metal block was torn from the dock.

The Wasp is based here as part of the 16th Fleet's New York group.

School Meeting Off—Ball Game Blamed

Announcing that today's regular meeting of the Boston School Committee had been cancelled, Chairman Clement A. Norton continued his long-time kidding of Committeeman Michael J. Ward with the explanation, "Mike Ward wanted to go to the ball game today so we called the meeting off."

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Back Bay Blast Perils Women

Two women miraaculously escaped injury from flying glass today when a manhole exploded in Huntington ave. between Gainsborough st. and Opera pl., shattering near-by windowpanes and throwing flames 30 feet in the air.

Mae Connolly of Arlington and Gertrude Kichgassner of Quincy were showered with glass in the offices of the Gilbert Realty Trust, owner of a building 30 feet from the manhole.

Windowpanes near where the two women were working were smashed by the concussion, but the glass landed harmlessly on desks and against the office wall.

M. B. Gilbert in an inner office was telephoning and the instrument was torn from his hand by the concussion.

A short circuit in an Edison Co. cable was blamed for the explosion.

DUTCH ASSETS IN U. S.

AMSTERDAM, April 16 (AP) — The government ordered Netherlanders today to declare all credits or assets they hold in the United States or Great Britain. Aneta News Agency speculated the move might be preliminary to enforced liquidation of Dutch privately-held liquid assets in those countries.

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Home Garden Forum

By FOSTER H. WEISS

(Head of Vegetable Garden Dept., Norfolk County Agricultural School)

Q—Can you suggest a small tree that we could set out in our lawn?

A—Flowering crabapples are exceptionally handy and easy to grow. They prefer full sunlight.

Q—Is native peat loam good for a lawn?

A—This material adds excellent humus if worked in well. Most of this material is very strongly acid, so lime should be added if much is used.

Q—Last year I saved my own bean seed, but find them full of holes. Can I still use it for seed?

A—This damage is caused by the bean-weevil, a serious pest in this area. Seed will probably germinate, but unless all the weevils are out of the seed you may cause another infestation next season.

Q—Should the soil for a strawberry bed be limed heavily?

A—No. Strawberries prefer a medium acid soil. If you were able to grow good vegetables on the land last year, it should be all right for strawberries.

Q—I have been told not to plant strawberries on sod land. Why not?

A—Sod land may contain white grubs, the larva of the June beetle. These grubs feed on the roots of strawberries and will destroy the plants. Better to use a piece of land that was worked last year.

Q—Is chicken wire satisfactory for trellising peas?

A—Wire is commonly used as support for peas, but the plants seem to stand the heat better when brush is used. Both methods will give good results if soils contain sufficient moisture.

Q—Is it too early to turn winter rye under now?

A—This depends on what crops you are going to grow on the land. For early crops, it should be turned over as soon as possible; for late crops, let stand for a little longer.

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Army, Navy Bill Delayed by Bridges

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP)—A protest by Sen. Bridges (R.) of New Hampshire blocked the Senate military committee's plan to send the Army-Navy merger bill to a sharply-divided Senate today.

Bridges told a reporter after a closed session he objected to the move because he was "not satisfied" with the legislation which would create a single department of common defense.

Coast Guard Hunts N. E. Schooner Yacht

Five days overdue on a voyage from Miami, Fla., the 67-foot schooner yacht Flying Cloud III, with five aboard, was the object of a Coast Guard search today.

The owner, Norman S. Cook, Providence manufacturer, reported she left Florida April 3 and was expected at Newport, R. I., April 10 or 11. He said the vessel has no radio transmitter.

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$700,000 Estate Willed by Luce

Former Cong. Robert Luce of Waltham, who died April 7, left an estate of $700,000, it was disclosed today when his will was filed in Middlesex probate court.

The income from a large and residual share of it will go to a sister-in-law, Julia Luce, and a nephew, Fred Roy Luce, both of California.

Luce directed his land and other property in Waltham be sold, the proceeds to be used by a corporation which is to maintain a home for aged men and aged couples, preferably Waltham residents, in memory of his late father, mother, stepmother and wife.

The corporation was also left $125,000 in cash for purposes of the home and will receive $40,000 more from the sale of shares in the Luce Clipping Bureau, New York, which he owned.

Veteran

Continued From Page 3

tion of the Northern artery. There, he entered a taxicab driven by John R. Jones of Edmonds st., Somerville. As they set off, another cab driven by John Williams of Dartmouth st., Somerville, followed them. Williams had heard of the shooting.

When Williams reached Inman sq., he beckoned to Patrolman Doyle, told him what had occurred and they gave chase to the fleeing cab in which Rossignol was seeking to escape. The cabs raced across Broadway to Merrill st., and thence to Dana st. and Massachusetts ave.

There, the Williams' cab cut sharply in front of the other one and forced it to stop. Leaping out with drawn revolver, Patrolman Doyle raced to the other cab and flinging open the door, ordered Rossignol to come out with his arms upraised. Rossignol did as he was ordered.

Doyle took from him a .32 calibre Walther, a German pistol which still held three bullets. Then he pushed him into Williams' cab and took him to Cambridge police headquarters, later transferring him to Somerville.

Rossignol was honorably discharged from the Army last January. He and his wife lived for a time in Cedar sq., North Cambridge.

They had both lived in Van Buren, Me., before coming to Boston but had never met there. They were introduced by her uncle, Levite Willette, of Waltham, three years ago, and their marriage soon followed. While her husband was in service, Mrs. Rossignol had worked as a waitress in a Kenmore sq. hotel.

Rossignol recently entered a claim for physical disability due to his wounds.

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Smart Set

By BETTY ALDEN

Perkins-Wilder Knot

A ROMANCE that began at Middleburg, Va., where both families have estates in the heart of the hunting country, is revealed in announcement of the marriage of Mrs. Katharine Metcalf Wilder to Charles Elliott Perkins of Boston.

The wedding took place yesterday at Ballard, Cal., in the Santa Ynez Valley Church. The couple will live in Santa Barbara.

Mrs. James Fletcher Chace

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Houghton P. Metcalf of Providence and Middleburg, Va., granddaughter of the late Robert F. Herrick of Milton and a niece of Mrs. George S. Mumford, Jr., of Dover. She made her debut in 1936 at an elaborate New Year's Eve ball at the Agawam Hunt Club in Providence and was also presented at a large dance given by her grandfather in Milton. She belongs to the Vincent Club and Junior League.

She was formerly married to David Wilder of Boston and made her home in Cambridge.

Mr. Perkins is the son of the late Charles E. Perkins of Boston and Santa Barbara and Mrs. Amory Perkins of Journey's End, Middleburg.

J. FLETCHER "SPIKE" CHACE of New York, former Harvard crew captain, and his wife who was Betsey Tobey Luscombe, prominent Hub debutante, greeted many Boston friends as they rhumba-ed and samba-ed at the Copley Plaza Oval Room the other evening. They came on from New York for the wedding of Barbara Bragdon and Ed Bennett, Jr., at which "Spike" was an usher.

A gardenia corsage and long emerald cigarette holder were lush accessories to the chic Betsey's black crepe dress. She and "Spike" were married in the summer of 1938 at an elaborate wedding in Woods Hole.

Mrs. Harriet Hayward Sanders dined and danced with Frederick K. Shaw and wore a stunning gown of black crepe printed with morning glories and wisteria sprays topped by an orchid corsaged ermine coat. Catherine Hannon of Brookline who will step into the social spotlight as one of next season's debutantes, was escorted by Hugh Nawn, Jr., for dancing in a foursome with Hugh's sister Jane and a Navy beau.

ELABORATE preparations are being made by Boston's sub-debs for the traditional May party in honor of the girls who will officially become debutantes upon graduation from exclusive schools this spring. It's the Empire Dinner Dance at the Hotel Somerset May 4.

Checking and double checking the date are such attractive subdebs as Anne Jane Rock and Anne Churchill who are giving a cocktail party together before the dance, and Shirlee Collens of Newton Centre who will also be hostess to a group of her young friends before coming in town to dine and dance.

The junior patroness committee for the affair includes Edith Anderson, Jeanette Brewer, Eleanor Burwell, Christina Callan, sister of Mary Callan who is a member of the post deb floor committee; Mary Cunningham, Brooks Emmons, Mary Forbes, Susan Furlow, Edith Griscom, Mary Hobbs, Mary Lanman, Katharine Little, Marguerite Marean, Sally Means, Mary Porter, Hope Potter, Nancy Potter, Anne Jane Rock and Martha Tyler.

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Selectman Rollins Of Brookline Resigns

Brookline voters will choose a new selectman at a special election Sept. 17 to replace Daniel G. Rollins who resigned to accept the post of town counsel, the board of selectmen ruled today.

Movie Clock

BEACON—"My Name Is Julia Ross," 9:55, 1:08, 4:22, 7:40. "Adventures of Marco Polo," 11:14, 2:30, 5:48, 9:03.

GLOBE—"Where Do We Go from Here?" 10:30, 4:44. "Don Juan Quilligan," 9:14, 8:38. Burlesque, 12, 2:45, 6:30.

HOWARD—"Dancing in Manhattan," 9:14, 6:27. "1001 Nights," 10:14, 6:27. Burlesque, 12, 2:45, 8:50.

CASINO—"Frozen Ghost," 9. "Swing Out, Sister," 10:22, 5. Burlesque, 12, 3:20 7:15, 10.

EXETER—"The Harvey Girls," 3:05, 6:10, 9:20. "The Enchanted Forest," 1:30, 4, 8:05.

STATE—"Just Before Dawn," 12, 3, 5:55, 8:50. "Pardon My Past," 1:10, 4:05, 7:05, 10.

ESQUIRE-BOSTON—"The Spiral Staircase," 10:45, 1:50 4:50, 7:35, 10. Stage show; 12:25, 3:45, 6:39, 9:05.

KEITH MEMORIAL—"The Seventh Veil," 9:30, 12:30, 3:35, 6:15, 9:50. "Tangier," 11:10, 2:15, 5:20, 8:20.

ORPHEUM—"Pardon My Past," 10:50, 1:35, 4:25, 7:10, 10. "Just Before Dawn," 9:40, 12:25, 3:15, 6:05, 8:50.

METROPOLITAN—"Sentimental Journey," 10:05, 12:55, 3:50, 6:40, 9:30. "Johnny Comes Flying Home," 11:45, 2:35, 5:25, 8:15.

PARAMOUNT—"Road to Utopia," 10:40, 1:22, 4 :40, 6:55, 9:35. "They Made Me a Killer," 9:30, 12:10, 2:55, 5:40, 8:25.

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UPTOWN—"Doll Face," 3:10, 6:35, 10. "Masquerade in Mexico," 1:10, 4:35, 8.

LAFFMOVIE—"Tillie's Punctured Romance," 9 30, 11:25, 1:20, 3:15 5:10, 7:05, 9, 10:55. "Me and My Pal," 10:58, 12:53, 3:48, 4:43, 6:38, 8:33, 10:28.

TREMONT—"Baughmen Also Die," 9:39, 1:31, 5:23, 9:15; "Eternally Yours," 11:52, 3:44, 7:36.

MAJESTIC—"Long Voyage Home," 11:44, 3:02, 6:18, 9:34; "Twin Beds," 10:17, 1:33, 4:49, 8:05.

SOUTH STATION—"Roosevelt, Man of Destiny," "Movieland Magic" and other short films and newsreels. Continuous.

TRANS-LUX—"Crime of the Century," 10:45, 1:05, 3:20, 5:35, 7:50, 10:05; "The Secret Four," 9:35, 11:50, 2:10, 4:25, 6:40, 8:55.

OLD SOUTH—"Hangmen Also Die," 9:39, 1:31, 5:23, 9 15; "Eternally Yours," 11:52, 3:44, 7:36.

MODERN—"You Came Along," 9:05, 12:40, 4:20, 8:00; "Incendiary Blonde," 10:50, 2:30, 6 10, 9:40.

GAIETY—"Gunga Din," 10:50, 2:10, 5:35, 9:05; "Shadows in the Night," 9:30, 12:50, 4.15, 7:45.

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Van Johnson, "BETWEEN 2 WOMEN"
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EVERETT

CAPITOL DAILY 1:45-7:45 **PARK**
Dorothy Lamour-Jon Hall "HURRICANE" "Raffles"
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Randolph Scott-Ann Dvorak, "ABILENE TOWN"
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Dorothy Lamour-Jon Hall "HURRICANE"
Jean Parker-Peter Cookson "ADV. OF KITTY O'DAY"

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Ingrid Bergman "SPELLBOUND" Also Short Subjects
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Faye Emerson-Zachary Scott "DANGER SIGNAL"
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NATIONAL HAN. 2280 CONT. DAILY
Rosalind Russell, "SHE WOULDN'T SAY YES"
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WATERTOWN

WATERTOWN SQ. WAT 2720
Rosalind Russell, "MY SISTER EILEEN"
Bing Crosby, "PENNIES FROM HEAVEN"

WINCHESTER

WINCHESTER MAT. 1:45 EVE. 7—See Sch. RETURNED BY REQUEST, C. Colbert, "IMITATION OF LIFE"; Bing Crosby, "EASY SING OF HEAVEN"

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WINTHROP STATE — ORIENT PALACE
Ann Sothern "UP GOES MAISIE" "POISON SHIP"
Jennifer Jones "LOVE LETTERS" "FOLLOW THAT WOMAN"

Blackstone Thrills, Amazes With Wonders at Colonial

By PEGGY DOYLE

For the young of all ages who believe that white rabbits actually are born in high hats, Blackstone's magic "show of 1001 wonders" at the Colonial is as undated and tantalizing as spring.

The Alpha-to-Ziegfeld of magicians is presently observing his 32d year of cross-country showmanship with a two-and-a-half-hour bill of vintage illusions and homely persiflage. It had the last-nighters drooling in eyesapoppin anticipation right up to the final curtain.

Blackstone has 30 on-the-payroll assistants, most of them provocatively curved lovelies richly if microscopically clad. But working f. o. b. at last night's opening were uncounted quantities of willing slaves from the audience, including some wide-eyed youngsters enjoying a rare night up and brief celebrity.

A manly lad braved the customers to take home a fistful of rabbit that materialized out of crumbled newsprint. A small girl in the reddest dress, hair-ribbon and half-hose, had her eyes opened discovering how many now-you-see-it-now-you-don't things there are under the Blackstone ken.

The seemingly simple "live" handkerchief trick and the amazing levitation illusion tied as audience favorites. In the twinkling of an eye, the world's First Magician, by the mere stroking of a handkerchief borrowed from a man in the audience and a bit of banter, has the folded bit of linen "behaving" like an inquisitive chicken. The levitation stunt, considerably more complicated, is equally baffling to us credulous younghearts.

And then there are the flowers that suddenly bloom out of a briskly unfurled scarf, the garter paved with brilliants that by some abracadabra is transferred from a jewelbox to a pretty thigh without seemingly being touched by human hands.

Possibly the audience gets the keenest kick out of Blackstone's rare pickpocketing skill, employed in full view of the paying guests on one or more of their number.

The disappearing pin-up girls, the think-of-a-card and the sawing-a-girl-in-half stunts are other avenues to the patrons' hearts. These and that so-simple (oh, yes?) business of causing a glass held aloft by a girl on the right-hand of the stage to be filled to the top with milk the while a glass in the hand of a girl at left-stage empties are the Murine that sparks the eyes of Blackstone optiences.

It was nice to escape there in the friendly shadows of the old Colonial, where the impossible is achieved so effortlessly, and to forget the mechanics that so frequently show in less shipshape productions.

FREEDOM OF THE SCREEN

Recommendations are to be made to the United Nations looking to "freedom of the screen" among all nations, Benjamin A. Cohen, UN's assistant secretary-general stated last week. Commenting on the action taken at the Chapultepec Conference in Mexico City to abandon censorship and control over motion pictures, Cohen said that an attempt would be made to advance this Inter-American proposal globally.

NEWLYWEDS June Allyson and Robert Walker in Metro's new romantic, "The Sailor Takes a Wife." The attractive youngsters first teamed up in "Her Highness and the Bellboy."

Negro Choir Here Easter

Wings Over Jordan, famed Negro choir whose spirituals have been heard on a coast-to-coast network by an estimated 10,000,000 for seven years on Sundays, is to be heard in concert at Symphony Hall Easter Sunday at 8:15 p. m.

Two men are credited with bringing the popular 20-voice group before the public. They are the Rev. Glynn T. Settle, pastor of Cleveland's Gethsemane Baptist Church, and Worth Kramer, who before entering the Navy was program director for a Cleveland radio station.

The Rev. Mr. Settle first took his church choir to Worth Kramer in 1937, requesting an audition. The choir's magnificent singing of the traditional spirituals so impressed Kramer that he volunteered to direct the group and prepare it for a regular Sunday morning spot on his radio station.

Subsequently, Worth resigned his radio job to take over the management of the Wings Over Jordan group, eventually getting them the national Sunday time.

APRIL 19 LIQUOR SALES OK

The State ABC has ruled that liquor may be sold at hotels, taverns and clubs on Patriots' Day, Friday, during the usual hours of business. Registered pharmacists may sell during the day only on prescription, while package stores will be open from 1 to 11 p. m.

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CLEVELAND CIRCLE
CIRCLE LOR. 4040. Mat. 1:45-Eve. 7:45
Ray Milland "LOST WEEKEND" Jane Wyman
Bert Gorden "HOW DO YOU DO" R. Von Zell

ALLSTON
ALLSTON Edward Robinson-Joan Bennett
STA. 4410 "SCARLET STREET"
1:45 & 7:45 Arthur Lake, "Life With Blondie"

CAMBRIDGE
Mat. 1:30 Capitol-Jamaica Mat. 1:30
Eve. 7:45 Dorothy Lamour "Masquerade in Mexico" Byron Barr "TOKYO ROSE" Dorothy Lamour "Masquerade in Mexico" Byron Barr "TOKYO ROSE" Eve. 7:45
CENTRAL SQ. Vivian Blaine-Perry Como
TRO. 7900 "DOLL FACE"
Cont. 1-11 Allen Lane "A GUY COULD CHANGE"

CHELSEA
BROADWAY Che.2770 Mat.1:45-Eve.7:30
T. Mitchell-E. Best "SWISS FAMILY ROBINSON"
F. Bartholomew "TOM BROWN'S SCHOOLDAYS"
OLYMPIA CHE. 1861. Mat. 1:45-Eve. 7:30
Dorothy Lamour "MASQUERADE IN MEXICO"
Byron Barr "TOKYO ROSE"

DORCHESTER
CODMAN Judy Garland-John Hodiak
Ends Today "THE HARVEY GIRLS" (Color)
2:30 & 7:45 Tom Neal, "CLUB HAVANA"
FIELDS Academy Award Winner Ray Milland
Ends Tonight in "THE LOST WEEKEND"
2:45-7-9.15 "SHERIFF OF REDWOOD VALLEY"
FRANKLIN Judy Garland-John Hodiak
Ends Today "THE HARVEY GIRLS" (Color)
2:30-7:45 "YOU CAN'T DO WITHOUT LOVE"
"IN PERSON SOUND" Voice of the Theatre
LIBERTY Eddie Cantor-Joan Davis
Ends Today "SHOW BUSINESS"
2:45-7:45 "JANE EYRE"—Joan Fontaine
MORTON Ends Tonite—Dorothy Lamour
KEN. 4300 "MASQUERADE IN MEXICO"
2:30 — 7:45 Byron Barr, "TOKYO ROSE"

DORCHESTER (Cont.)
STRAND Vivian Blaine-Perry Como
COL. 2000 "DOLL FACE"
1:30-7:45 "SPRINGTIME IN TEXAS"
UPHAMS Betty Grable-Jane Wyer
Cont. 12:30 "DOLLY SISTERS"
TAL. 6000 Ends Wed. "THE SPIDER"

MATTAPAN
ORIENTAL Carmen Miranda
BLU. 2200 Perry Como "DOLL FACE"
1:45 & 7:45 "A GUY COULD CHANGE"

ROXBURY
RIVOLI BIG. 0041. Mat. 1:30-Eve. 7:45
Vivian Blaine-Perry Como "DOLL FACE"
Also "BLACK MARKET BABIES"

DUDLEY Randolph Scott-Ann Dvorak
BIG. 0041 "ABILENE TOWN"
Mat.-Eve. 6:45 Alan Ladd, "SALTY O'ROURKE"

EGLESTON Randolph Scott in
Mat. 1:45 "ABILENE TOWN"
Eve. 7:45 "THE HOUSE OF DRACULA"

HUMBOLDT Ends Tonite ABILENE TOWN"
BIG. 3100 Randolph Scott-Ann Dvorak
Mat.-Eve. 6:45 "CRIME DOCTOR'S WARNING"

SHAWMUT Judy Garland-John Hodiak
GAR. 1370 "HARVEY GIRLS" (Color)
1:30 & 6:30 & Dir. "Voice of the Wheeler"

WARREN BIG. 0037. Mat. 1:30-Eve. 7:45
Randolph Scott-Ann Dvorak "ABILENE TOWN"
Warner Baxter "CRIME DOCTOR'S WARNING"

SOMERVILLE
SOM. Capitol Ball Sq. SOM.
2700 1:45 7:45 3434
Ray Milland "The Lost Weekend" Jane Wyman
Marsha Hunt "A Letter for Evie" John Carroll

CENTRAL Spa 7610 Mat 1:45 Eve. 7:45
Boudlins Bennet "SHE WOULDN'T SAY YES"
Penny Singleton "LIFE WITH BLONDIE"

STRAND SOM. 0830. Mat. 1:45-Eve. 7:45
Errol Flynn-Alexis Smith "SAN ANTONIO"
Lynn Roberts "GIRLS OF THE BIG HOUSE"

A Vacation, a River, a Boy and His Dog . . . and This

Lucky Fella

A week's vacation from school and the opening of the fishing season came simultaneously for young Jerry Hatch of Needham, so off to the banks of the Charles he went . . . to this. His pet, Speed, is with him.

INP by Carroll Myett

INP by Joseph Parodi

Glee Club

One of the highlights in the Hearst Newspapers Eastern Zone Finals in the Andrew Jackson National Oratorical Contest at Public Latin School on April 24 will be the Girls' High School glee club of 80 voices. With the singers are (front) Nancy Wright, president; Joseph H. Gildea, conductor, and Enes Eleppi, secretary.

INP by Lou Totos

Matched

Members of the East Boston Social Centers' Council (l. to r.), Joseph Aiello, Angelo Tirone, Bernard Altieri, Jack MacInnis and Salvatore Cavaleri, exhibit a shrine they erected — composed of matches.

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To Wed—Louise Allbritton, blonde Hollywood film star, has her seafood cocktail seasoned with a lemon by her fiance, Charles Collingwood, radio commentator and ex-war correspondent, at a filmland restaurant. They plan to wed within the next few weeks, friends revealed.

Hollywood Candid Photo by Nat Dallinger

No Hot Water—Denied heat and hot water when members of an AFL Heating Plant Operators' Union walked off the job in the Charlestown Housing Project, Mrs. Mary Longo, Army wife, whose husband is serving in Germany, heats her own water in preparing to give 8-months-old Bobby his daily bath.

INP by Edwin Steppen

Tired Out—Ray Archer, 13, and his brother, Joe, 15, sleepily eir eyes after being found in their rubber haven, t airplane tire in back of a Los Angeles plant, running away from home.

International News Photo

Getting Ready—Ann Nichols of Dorchester (left) and Doris Meehan of Springfield, local performers in the "Skating Vanities of 1946," dust off one of the little autos used as props in the show which is coming to the Boston Garden Saturday.

INP by Myer Ostroff

SHALL WE SAVE OUR FRIEND?

WHEN THE ALLIED cause was at its lowest ebb and Russia was still in alliance with Germany, Draja Mihailovich aroused his countrymen to fight for their liberty.

It was 15,000,000 poorly armed, heroic Yugoslavs against what at that moment seemed to be a conquering, victorious Germany.

So enthusiastic was all the anti-Nazi world that Ralph Ingersoll, to mention one American journalist, wrote on March 28, 1941:

"There is a great happiness in the world today —and the Yugoslavs have made it.

"Adolf Hitler did not make a single mistake and yet he has lost.

"He lost because the common people, the plain people of Yugoslavia love liberty more than they fear death.

"That is a very large statement—but when the Yugoslavs overthrew their appeasing government they proved that they loved liberty more than they feared death . . ."

The hero of this liberty-loving movement was Draja Mihailovich, leader of the patriotic Chetniks.

He inspired his people, almost with bare hands, to resist.

The civilized world applauded his courage and daring.

TIME PASSED; Hitler attacked Soviet Russia; Stalin became the ally of the United States and Great Britain.

The focus changed from liberty to power.

The scene shifted from democracy to the Big Three.

Yet Mihailovich carried on.

American and British support, in arms and funds and advisers, were sent to him.

General Billy Mitchell's sister was in Yugoslavia, the close friend and adviser of Mihailovich.

American fliers aided him.

YET, SUDDENLY HE WAS DROPPED.

HE WAS DROPPED BY GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.

THEY WITHDREW THEIR FRIENDSHIP AND SUPPORT.

THEY SMEARED HIS NAME.

THEY ASSOCIATED HIM WITH THE NAZI.

The reason for this unscrupulous betrayal of a noble hero was that by the Teheran and Yalta agreements, Yugoslavia was put in the Russian sphere of influence.

Yugoslavia, which stood up more manfully than many greater and more powerful European nations against Nazi enslavement, was, by order of her friends and allies and the so-called liberty-loving countries, FORCED TO ACCEPT RUSSIAN ENSLAVEMENT.

Josip Broz, a Communist, once a soldier in the Russian Red Army, now called Tito, became the agent of Soviet imperialism in Yugoslavia.

And the United States and Great Britain permitted the enslavement by recognizing and aiding Tito.

MIHAILOVICH was sacrificed to a deal. Like Robert Bruce, he took to the hills. He and his Chetniks continued the struggle for the liberty of their people.

As during the war, they had rebelled against German enslavement, so after V-E Day, they rebelled against Russian enslavement.

Americans have always loved the man who loved freedom, who gave his life for the liberty of his people.

Mihailovich has now been caught by Tito in a Bosnian cave, a wreck of a man, tired, despairing, hopeless.

SHALL WE, AFTER TITO HAS SHOT HIM ERECT A MONUMENT TO HIS MEMORY AS WE HAVE ERECTED MONUMENTS TO OTHER HEROES IN THE BATTLE FOR LIBERTY — TO PULASKI AND KOSCIUSKO?

Shall we hold requiems for him after Tito has slaughtered him?

OR SHALL WE SPEAK NOW, TODAY, FOR JUSTICE AND THE RIGHT?

When Mihailovich is no more, let it not be said that his blood is upon America — THAT AMERICANS DESERTED AND FORGOT A FRIEND.

HEAT STRIKE

DUE TO the grievances of thirty-eight members of a heating plant operators' union, twenty-five thousand men, women and children in eight Boston housing projects have been threatened with the loss of heat and hot water.

At a time when measles, pneumonia and similar diseases menace all children, these men left their duties and responsibilities to force employers to grant their demands.

Is any labor demand worth risking a baby's life?

Is a victory won at the expense of an innocent person's health and safety ever really to be desired by workmen who put human rights above monetary rewards?

These are pertinent questions for strikers in Boston and elsewhere to weigh and answer.

Holy Week, when all the world sorrows for the pain wantonly afflicted on the gentle Jesus, is certainly NOT the time for anybody to cause needless suffering.

On the Side

By E. V. Durling

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There sits a bird on every tree
And courts his love as I do thee;
There grows a flower on every bough,
Its petals kiss—I'll show you how.
From sea to stream the salmon roam,
Each finds a mate and leads her home.
Sing Heigh-Ho! And Heigh-Ho!
Young maids must marry.
—CHARLES KINGSLEY.

ACCORDING to the most recent figures, there are 110,000 more women than men in New York City. However, I am not going to suggest New Yorkers call this to the attention of their wives, so the little ladies will know how lucky they were to get a man. Several months ago when I made a similar remark, in a spirit of levity, of course, a red-haired wife of Brooklyn informed me if I ever repeated the remark she would make it her business to see I received a good slap on the face. *"That crack irritates me,"* said she. *"Besides, it causes my husband to assume a smug attitude that is unbearable."*

QUERIES FROM CLIENTS: Q—Who was "Noodles" Hahn? A—He was a pitcher for the Cincinnati Reds . . . Q—Who adapted "Rip Van Winkle" to the stage for Joseph Jefferson? What do you think of Barry Fitzgerald's playing Rip in the film? A—Dion Boucicault wrote the stage version of "Rip Van Winkle." I think Fitzgerald will be wonderful in the part. Maybe better than Joseph Jefferson . . . Q—When was the song "Poor Pauline" written? A—Around 1915. Was a satirical song about the heroine of the film serial "The Perils of Pauline." I forget who wrote it. May have been Irving Berlin.

Barry Fitzgerald

ALMOST CONFIDENTIAL: Four out of five marriages of American soldiers and French girls during World War I have turned out to be successful . . . The song "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley" was introduced and popularized by Lottie Gilson. That was in the nineties. Paradise Alley is a street in New York City. If you don't know where it is, don't try to tell me you are a real New Yorker . . . In Kentucky, the mutuel machine take at racetracks is 10 per cent. But it all goes to the track. The State takes nothing.

PASSING BY: Max Rosenbloom. Whimsical ex-leather pusher. When Max was active as a ringman, a bout with him was suggested to Joe Louis, who quickly turned the proposition down saying: *"None of that there Rosenbloom for me. When you fight a clown he makes you look like a clown"* . . . Vinton Freedley, Theatrical producer. Once a Harvard quarterback. That was in the days when Eddie Mahan played fullback and Charlie Brickley was doing all that drop-kicking. Brickley was good, but the best drop-kicker in the history of college football was Pat O'Dea of Wisconsin.

BUSES: In California, a butane gas operated bus exploded and injured a number of passengers. The driver said he thought the explosion was caused by a woman lighting a cigaret. Why operate a bus with fuel like that? Trackless trolleys should be substituted for all buses operated by—butane gas and other inflammable and explosive fuels. In addition to the danger of fire and explosion, the fumes of these types of fuel might be a menace to the public health.

PLEASE NOTE: New York police officers are under orders not to visit the city's racetracks when off duty. I believe that is greatly overestimating the race courses as a menace to morals. I also question the wisdom or propriety of regulating a police officer's private life by order. However, if the New York City racetracks do actually constitute an environment as evil and dangerous as this order would indicate, why not take steps to close them down altogether?

ONE-ARM BANDIT: The research of modern university professors certainly covers a wide field. Now, a professor is engaged in studying that slot machine known as the "one-arm bandit." His research indicates the jackpot turns up one in 2667 times. Even in the best places the "take" for the house on these machines is 25 per cent. The house "take" on a dice game is usually around 1.27 per cent. I have battled to beat "one-arm bandits" all over the world, including at the Casino in Monte Carlo. Only time I ever hit the jackpot was in Tia Juana, Mexico. The "one-arm bandit" originated in San Francisco. It was never patented by the inventor.

SMART FISH: One of the worst places in the world for fishing is the North river, off Manhattan. There are plenty of fish in these waters but they are too smart to go for a baited hook. I understand that 60 or 70 years ago the fishing was good in the North river. But gradually the finny denizens of the stream caught on to the baited hook gag. Evidently they passed this knowledge down from father to son.

FAIR ENOUGH

By WESTBROOK PEGLER

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JACK W. HARDY, national commander of a new veterans' organization called American Veterans of World War II and known as AMVETS, recently expressed regret that the public seemed unable to distinguish between his outfit and the American Veterans' Committee, Inc.

Westbrook Pegler

He said his AMVETS were the largest organization of veterans of the second war, exclusively; were neither left nor right politically and were not a pressure group for any legislation which would "operate to the detriment of all the American people."

He offered a full statement of the aims and activities of the AMVETS for the information of veterans and the general public.

A statement by John Kieran, Jr., in favor of the AVC was published here yesterday, the idea being that the claims of both groups should be presented to persons eligible, and the rest of the public, for their information.

Today there follows here a statement from AMVETS, somewhat condensed, unfortunately, because Mr. Hardy's response to the invitation ran too long.

His intent has not been distorted, however, as he doubtless will agree. Lest Mr. Hardy seem immodest, be it understood that the statement was actually written by Vincent Neeson, the publicity director.

THE STATEMENT says AMVETS was founded in December, 1944, at a meeting of representative groups of independent veterans' organizations in Kansas City. A newspaper reporter invented the name "AMVETS," and the organization "now carries it proudly."

"If AMVETS are to live and prosper," the statement says, "the new outfit must offer something truly worthwhile in the continuing picture of life—have an appeal which other organizations cannot give.

"Elmo W. Keel, the first national commander, now at George Washington University taking a postgraduate course, and the other founders worked hard for the establishment of a sensible policy and decent approach—an approach free from 'isms'—leaning neither to the left nor the right. At the first national convention in Chicago last November, a declaration of principles, drafted by Jack Hardy, was unanimously adopted.

"Com. Hardy, just out of the Navy and long experienced in public life as a lawyer, civic leader and former secretary of the Los Angeles Bar Ass'n, presented a platform which is carrying AMVETS into a position for real service in the nation and in every community."

THE STATEMENT then points out that 25 years intervened between the active service of the men of the first and second wars and, with respect for the service and progressive work accomplished by the veterans of the first war, the veterans of the second war chose to form their own organization, instead of joining the older groups.

"These veterans are swelling the ranks of AMVETS, an average of 2000 a week since last fall, bringing our membership well over 50,000 as of April 1 in 516 posts in 42 States," the statement continues. "We have the finest set of principles that ever were adopted and we hope to ever be guided by them. In the increasing public knowledge of our aspirations, as backed by our actions, we will obtain greater and greater recognition by the people of the United States, of whom we are a component part."

SUMMARIZED, these principles are stated to be:

"National integrity is based on the integrity of the individual citizen and those who lead and represent him.

"We shall not discriminate between veterans because of rank, sex, race, creed or political party affiliation.

"We demand that both industry and labor clean house and establish responsible leadership and labor-management policies based on mutual confidence and integrity.

"We believe not only in a 'free' world press but an honest press. We believe the honest, impartial and unslanted dissemination of news can heal the internal wounds and strife between our racial and economic groups.

"AMVETS do not want 'charity' in any form. They demand a decent opportunity for employment so that they may establish themselves as thrifty, industrious, self-respecting, worthy citizens.

"The memory of those who gave all should be preserved in living memorials in the form of additional educational and recreational facilities so that no American shall lack opportunity for education, a healthy mind and a healthy body."

Hollywood

By Louella O. Parsons

HOLLYWOOD, April 16—Just a few hours ago I received a cable from Helmut Dantine, who is in his native Vienna. He tells me he is very happy because he has successfully arranged to bring his mother back to this country.

Ida Lupino

Speaking of Helmut reminds me of Ida Lupino—perhaps because she seems able to understand the strange, moody young man better than anyone else. And speaking of Ida—reminds me of Paul Henreid—why I don't know, except that I've just been told they are to make another picture together on the heels of "Devotion."

Yep, Ida and Paul are to be teamed in "The African Queen" by C. S. Forrester, described as a hot drama in a hot climate—and not a little number in black face as the title suggests. Well, drama is Ida's middle name and Paul likes to emote, too.

THE LAST PICTURE Leslie Howard made before his tragic death was "The Gentle Sex," and his leading lady was British Jean Gillie. She's a very pretty brunette and a good actress, and she's now in Hollywood working with Gregory Peck and Joan Bennett in "The Short and Happy Life of Francis Macomber." Jean, who is Mrs. Jack Bernhard in private life, moves to Monogram to be starred in "Decoy," which her husband will produce and direct. They feel, at Monogram, she has the makings of a top dramatic actress—and Monogram can hardly remember the days when they were turning out just Westerns and thrillers.

SAM WOOD is a good director, but I don't think even he could get Gene Tierney for the picture he plans to make in England unless, of course, he releases through 20th. Darryl Zanuck seems to have an awful lot of plans for Gene. Sam has just paid $100,000 for Marie Belloc Lowndes' new novel, "The Story of Ivy," which he plans to make for his new world films company in England. It's a mystery love story and has much of the suspense of the "The Lodger," which was made by 20th and which was a hit at the box office.

NANCY BRUFF, the beautiful blonde who wrote "The Manatee" to the tune of a lot of sensational publicity and not such sensational reviews, is a little on the miffed side. M-G-M bought the book ages ago but it has been on the shelf ever since. Seems the lady is determined to show the movies, and her critics, she can turn out a hit novel for a hit movie so she has written another book, "Cider From Eden," which has a Brooklyn background. Maybe this is an apple tree growin' in Brooklyn!

CHATTERED IN HOLLYWOOD: Dorothy Lamour has been waiting and waiting in New York for interviews. Paramount arranged nothing. The newspaper reporters wanted stories, but they were told that Miss Lamour would not be available until Monday. That was when she wanted to go to Baltimore, and she couldn't understand what had happened. Finally she telephoned. Seems she's on suspension and didn't go back on the payroll until Monday, and if she did interviews for the Paramount Company they would have to pay her for the few ensuing days. I'd hate to tell you what Dottie said.

CUTE CHARLIE COBURN, and I'll never get over him in "The Green Years," he's so good, will play Laurie's grandfather in "Little Women." Lucky David Selznick to get Coburn. Andrew Solt and Mel Dinelli are collaborating on the story, and I hope they remember Charlie's in the picture, because we can't see too much of him.

I HAVE JUST HEARD a story that tickles me. Judge Georgia Bullock was the guest speaker at the Hawthorne Public School. Sitting next to her was a bright-eyed, alert young man taking part in the discussion of juvenile problems. Judge Bullock turned to someone and said: *"Now that young man is a clear thinker, a wonderful example of what our young men should be. He really would be helpful—and you know he's handsome enough to be a movie actor."* Well, the catch is that she was talking about Robert Young, who was on the program.

SNAPSHOTS OF HOLLYWOOD COLLECTED AT RANDOM: The David Lichines expect their baby in May. He's the choreographer who did the dances for "Gilda"; Jeanne Crain and Paul Brinkman, who have been making their home with his parents since their elopement, have at last found an apartment; DeWitt Bodeen is in New York on a six-weeks leave of absence from RKO. He has taken his typewriter along and will write a play; Gene Kelly will be out of the Navy in another 10 days and back at M-G-M; Jan Clayton is telling her friends that she is going to have a baby as soon as possible and give up her career. Well, that's one way of giving up a career, temporarily, at least; the "Perils of Pauline" set is beginning to look like a stork's marathon, what with Betty Hutton, Margaret Fields, in the same picture, and Sue Patrick, the hairdresser, all on Mr. Stork's calling list; don't get confused by reports out of New York that Xavier Cugat is marrying Lorraine Stein and Lorraine Allen. She's Lorraine Breecher, the same gal he's always gone with, only a change of moniker; Harry Ritz and Mrs. Ritz, who expect the stork very soon, dining at the Savoy.

BEULAH BONDI, who played Jimmy Stewart's mother in "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington," will be Jimmy's Ma in "It's a Wonderful Life"; Marilyn Maxwell, who is a lady with many admirers, is now looking in the direction of Russell Arms, Warner actor; Barbara Britton is the first sunburn casualty of the year. She fell asleep at her Laguna Beach home and got terribly burned; Sonja Henie seems to be stepping around quite a bit with Vic Hunter, advertising executive; George Montgomery had to pinch-hit for Dinah Shore at the Seattle Red Cross benefit, because she's got laryngitis and can neither sing a note nor talk; Photoplay Magazine this month has articles by Adela Rogers St. John and her daughter, Elaine St. John, and Adela is prouder of Elaine's piece than she is of her own. She said Elaine was brought up on movie sets, and I must say for her, she has her talented mother's flair for writing, which is no mean flair to have.

George Holland

Boston After Dark

FROM THIS DISTANCE, the one primary contest which, in advance, more nearly assumes aspects of a dog fight is that in which young Jack Kennedy, Rep. Enrico Cappucci and Maj. Catherine Falvey of Somerville will compete for the privilege of succeeding to Mayor Curley's seat in the 11th Congressional district . . . Each of these candidates will have an especial appeal to large segments of the electorate . . . The nylons being offered for Easter wear are so shoddy that husbands and sweethearts who know the current state of the black market in this commodity are apologizing in advance to wives and girl friends . . . They're explaining that the hose are for one or two wearings only.

THE HOTEL FENSGATE will make a bid for the ball game patronage before and after the afternoon spasms at Braves Field and Fenway Park by constructing an al fresco bar the length of the hotel frontage along Beacon st. . . . The only other outdoor cocktail lounge in Boston was established in front of the Hotel Brunswick before the war by Miss Nell Mercier.

JOE CRONIN has issued orders banning the sport writers from the ball players' dressing rooms at the Fenway . . . Too many of his star performers are being quoted about goings-on behind the scenes, Joe says . . . And if the Red Sox are sold to Bing Crosby and associates, recall that you were reminded here within 10 days that the deal was far from cold.

INCREDIBLE as it seems, the most ornery problem confronting the income tax collecting machinery is that of what to do with the "rubber checks" received in payment of taxes . . . Hundreds of them—many of them supposed to be backed by heavy money—were received on March 15, and some of them were issued by citizens brazen enough to pay a full year's taxes with a bouncer instead of only the quarterly payment required.

SATURDAY'S column was aborted in the middle of a short thesis on the popularity of Alec Finn, the Bostonian who used to own The Mayfair . . .The paragraph which appeared in print told merely of The Finn's great popularity . . . The sentences which were written, but left out, explained that Alec now owned part of a Connecticut brewery and was representing a good beer in Massachusetts . . . As every tavernkeeper and night club owner dreads a beerless summer, Alec's popularity and the reason therefor is obvious . . . He is taking care of his old friends first, which (as we remarked in the little story that was curtailed so abruptly) is typical of the onetime millionaire from Brookline who seems headed at last for a real comeback.

JOHNNY WILSON, former middleweight champ, and Jacko Ferullo, the erstwhile lightheavyweight contender (now employed by the railway express), Henny Youngman, the RKO star and Georgie Price of the Bradford, were tablemates at a late session in the Villa Nova . . . Tommy Dorsey, who dotes on Italian food, will pay the Villa Nova a visit before he finishes at Totem Pole.

THE REASON George W. Clarke was introduced as a Mr. Holland at a recent party given in honor of an admiral was that the Clarke column included an item that had filtered out mysteriously from the admiral's own wardroom—and the admiral had steam up for Mr. C . . . 'Salright with us . . . so long as Mr. Clarke doesn't insist that we play his choices at Narragansett.

A CHICAGO OUTFIT made a huge bid for the Boston Ritz-Carlton . . . But reports of the hotel's sale or impending sale are myths . . . Featherweight pianos, with aluminum plates on which the strings are stretched being 80 pounds lighter than the usual steel sounding board, are on the market . . . Housewives can push the instruments around with slightly more effort than they maneuver a vacuum cleaner.

INFLUENTIAL Mayor Kelly of Chicago is said to have used his voice (sotto) to appeals being made that President Truman veto the bill aimed at curbing the power of Kelly's fellow-townsman, James "Caesar" Petrillo.

Broadway

By Dorothy Kilgallen

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NEW YORK, April 16—Bonita Granville hints that she may beat mama to the altar . . . The two best-dressed girls at Bob Ohn's the other evening were lasses usually remarkable for their lack of clothes—strippers Ann Corio and Margie Hart . . . Barry Sullivan is likely to be a new heart-flutterer when "Suspense" hits the theaters . . . Of all things, Colvina, the ballerina at Jimmy Kelly's, soaks her dancing slippers in hot water every morning to keep them from skidding during her act . . . Theaters around the country are finding that a giveaway of butter—20 lbs. a night—is a better business-getter than the old bank night ever was . . . Carole Landis confesses that she's happy because her legs are getting all the publicity about "Scandal In Paris." Previously other assets stole the spotlight and she says "Nobody ever looked at my legs" . . . Eventually nylons may be supplied by vending machines, goils.

Bonita Granville

OFF BROADWAY: Jockeys Arcaro and Atkinson nodding to each other from adjoining tables at Leone's. Such stern little men! Somehow you expect little fellows to have perpetual grins on their faces . . . Crooner Jerry Cooper gifting his Martha with a gold bracelet inscribed: "I'll call you each day at 5," as she leaves for Hollywood . . . Those five beautiful Goldwyn girls heel-and-toeing past the most appropriate background—for them—in town: The Ziegfeld Theater . . . Virginia Field waiting for Paul Douglas at the Lyceum stage door

THE GEORGE JACOBSONS (Anita Alvarez) are lullabying a baby boy . . . Ted and Rita Duano, the dancers at the Embassy, will waltz down the aisle in the near future . . . Deb Edith Dent and wealthy refugee Lale Zuber are an item . . . The Marx Brothers give out that "Night in Casablanca" will be their last picture together—but you've heard that one, of course . . . The music business is frightened by a report that Mayor O'Dwyer may ban jukeboxes in local places . . . Carol Bruce is wearing a new kind of belt for girls with dreamy waistlines — a buckled tape measure . . . Mae Murray's lecture tour nets her $250 per appearance. She used to be one of the screen's highest paid beauties . . . International Pictures will conduct a wide "search" a la Scarlett and Amber, for a male star to portray the title role in Somerset Maugham's "Ashenden."

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Washington Scene

By George Dixon

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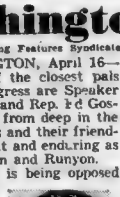
WASHINGTON, April 16—Two of the closest pals in Congress are Speaker Sam Rayburn and Rep. Ed Gossett. Both are from deep in the heart of Texas and their friendship is as great and enduring as that of Damon and Runyon.

Mr. Gossett is being opposed for re-election this year by Mack Taylor, who recently conducted an unsuccessful campaign for mayor of the Gossett home town of Wichita Falls. Naturally Speaker Rayburn is doing everything in his power to help his buddy's campaign.



Sam Rayburn

This being the situation, it was quite a shock to Sam when he received this telegram the other day from candidate Taylor:

"Send me at once all the material necessary to defeat Gossett."

I asked Sam if he had obeyed the request. I am sorry I cannot print his reply verbatism but the gist of it—with most of the pithy Texas language deleted—if that he hadn't.

MRS. JAMES A. FARLEY, wife of the former postmaster-general, was in town recently and was introduced to a young lady named Dolores Di Minni, who sings under the name of Delores duPont. The latter confided she had aspirations to warble in grand opera.

"A friend of mine used to be in opera," said Mrs. Farley. *"Maybe you have heard of her? She went by the name of Rosa Ponselle."*

Miss Di Minni or duPont—she isn't really either, being Mrs. Barnee Breeskin, wife of the old maestro—let out a screech in high C and gibbered that the greatest ambition of her life was to meet Miss Ponselle.

The conversation switched to something else, but a couple of afternoons later Dolores received a call from Mrs. Farley.

"I wonder if you could come over and join us," said Mrs. Farley. *"Rosa Ponselle is with me"*

THE MEETING PLACE was a downtown hotel, which I shall not identify because of what happened.

The three ladies talked cadenzas, fortissimos, obbligatos and got very chummy. They repaired to one of the hostelry's big reception rooms where there is a piano, and Dolores let go with a couple of upper registers.

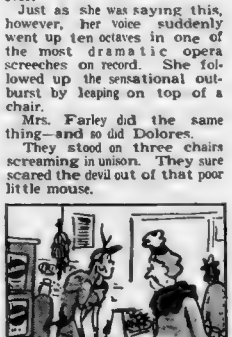
Miss Ponselle said she had great possibilities but needed a lot of training. Dolores almost swooned when the great singer said she would personally take her in hand.

Dolores did a lot more operatic yodeling and then asked, very timidly, if Miss Ponselle would give forth with a few expensive notes. The latter declined gracefully, saying her singing days were positively over.

Just as she was saying this, however, her voice suddenly went up ten octaves in one of the most dramatic opera screeches on record. She followed up the sensational outburst by leaping on top of a chair.

Mrs. Farley did the same thing—and so did Dolores.

They stood on three chairs screaming in unison. They sure scared the devil out of that poor little mouse.



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"I lost my shopping list. May I borrow yours?"

Uneven Hemline Striking—*Barrack*

By RUTH MUGGLEBEE

Beauty and Fashion Editor

THERE'S beaucoup "hemming" but no "hawing" this spring as irregular . . . or uneven . . . hemlines return triumphantly once again to the style picture.

Skirts are longer . . . but definitely . . . and won't behave. Up in front, down in the back . . . normally cut on the right, low-dipped on the left side . . . split four ways . . . rounded, pointed . . . and for evening, long, short and ankle length.

Clearly the asymmetrical line is the outstanding style direction for 1946 . . . whether achieved by diagonal closings for bodices . . . side-slanted decolletes . . . tiers and peplums for slim silhouettes . . . or for as striking hemline as sponsored by Rose Barrack.

(Tomorrow's Designer: Sylvia Franklin)

GEOMETRIC print . . . in shocking pink and blue on a black background . . . is Rose Barrack's selection for the girl of medium height. The fully bloused sleeves . . . cut in one with a slightly bloused bodice . . . contributes to the soft look of this "go anywhere" dress.

ADAPTABLE and adorable for the young or the little woman . . . and a sunny skies indispensable . . . is this black check on beige cotton frock dressed up with a jet-beaded belt. The cross lines tend to give height . . . while the full-flared swing skirt is Rose Barrack's fluid silhouette conversion. The trio of bows marching down the bodice front is gay and young.

FASHION is no longer the strict disciplinarian, it is the endearer. All the endearing young charms known to women are now written into their clothes.

Spring comes and the utterly charming look is the look that counts. Women come out from behind their enveloping furs and winter coats to give their figures freedom and the new trends of style. And this season freedom counts with incomparable importance.

Clothes have a lilting swing, a soft, designated, purposeful fullness that makes them postwar and pretty. They must look pretty. That's the new fashion order of the day. Skirts are longer and won't behave. Up in front, down in the back, split four ways, rounded, pointed, and throughout dedicated to the swirl.

Rose Barrack

34 Designers Dress You for Spring

UNEVEN HEMLINE . . . a natural for the tall girl. And as Rose Barrack shows it for spring festive occasions . . . in a black crepe dress with picture neckline and puffed sleeves cut in one with the bodice . . . it is second-glance provoking. So is the waistline . . . girdled with black satin ribbon tied in a bow to which additional whimsy has been added by the deftly placed "cabbage" corsage of brown and yellow roses. In this new-trend pace-setter, the silhouette gets a softening indulgence away from the slim, straight lines of yester-war-years. Its fashion significance has not yet been fully felt . . . but we predict its silhouette will be one of the highlights of next fall's collections. Like ankle-length daytime dresses . . . its acceptance is simply a matter of time and taste.

Eggs Substitute for Meat

By MARTHA LEE, Household Editor

NOW IS THE TIME to make the most of your recipes that call for eggs. The hens are now on full production schedule and eggs are plentiful. Serve them as a substitute for meat during Lent or as a hidden ingredient in your favorite dessert. Here are some recipes that feature eggs as an entree and in dessert:

SCRAMBLED EGGS
(Cooked Without Fat)

4 eggs 4 tbsp. milk (¼ cup)
1 tsp. salt, scant
⅛ tsp. pepper

Add milk, salt and pepper to eggs and beat with a fork to blend. Heat skillet moderately hot, or until hot enough to make a drop of water sizzle. Pour in egg mixture. Reduce heat. Cook gently, lifting from the bottom and sides as the mixture coagulates. As the cooked mixture is lifted, the thin uncooked part should flow to the bottom. Avoid stirring constantly. Cook until mixture is thickened throughout but still moist 5 to 8 minutes. The heat in the mixture will continue to cook the eggs slightly. Serve promptly on warm plates. Makes 2 to 3 servings.

BAKED CRUSTY OMELET

1 cup oven-popped rice cereal
1 tbsp. bacon fat or shortening
5 eggs, separated
¼ cup milk ¾ tsp. salt
⅛ tsp. pepper

Mix rice cereal with bacon fat; heat in heavy skillet until crisp and brown; distribute evenly over bottom of skillet. Beat egg yolks until light and lemon colored; add milk and seasonings. Beat egg whites until stiff but not dry; fold into yolks. Turn egg mixture carefully into skillet on top of the rice cereal; cook over low heat until lightly brown on top. Cut into edge of omelet one inch on opposite sides; fold in half along cuts. Remove from skillet and serve at once. Makes 6 servings.

Horoscope

By FRANCES DRAKE

Tuesday, April 16, 1946

IF TODAY IS YOUR BIRTHDAY—You have keen, farseeing intelligence. Are naturally a brain-worker, with ability to create new methods for others, to improve the old. But sometimes you lack urge to complete ideas. Be not impatient if plans fail to develop rapidly. Avoid fickleness. Seek cultured lifemate, friends. Birthdate: Wilbur Wright, airplane inventor; Charles Chaplin, actor.

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LUCKY NUMBER—59.
LUCKY COLOR—Purple.

PURPLE HEART AWARD, 1782

When was the Purple Heart decoration established, and has it been issued continuously?

(Mrs.) K.

The Purple Heart award was established by Gen. George Washington on Aug. 7, 1782; but was not issued for many years. On Feb. 22, 1932, the 200th anniversary of Washington's birthday, the War Dept. announced that the award would again be issued out of respect to his memory.

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Princess 2-Piece

By MARIAN MARTIN

Summer style strategy . . . that's Pattern 9078. Quick sewing, the smart sunfrock has no waistline seam. Equally easy to make is the jaunty jacket. Practical ensemble!

Pattern 9078: 12, 14, 16, 18, 20; 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44. Size 16, frock, 2¼ yds. 39-in.; jacket 1⅛ yards.

Send 20 cents in coins for this pattern to Boston Evening American, 21, Pattern Dept., 232 W. 18th st., New York 11, N. Y.

Fifteen cents more brings you the useful Marian Martin Spring Pattern Book with a Free pattern for smart "bag-on-a-belt" printed right inside the book. Brimful of chic, easy-to-make fashions.

Crayon for Gray Strands

By RUTH MUGGLEBEE, Beauty and Fashion Editor

IT IS NO LONGER kid stuff to play with crayons . . . especially if those inevitable gray strands have begun to make their unwanted appearance around the temples . . . or started to streak the hair. And what a difference a crayon can make.

Naturally, we're thinking about a brush touch-up crayon . . . the only one of its kind we know of . . . an amazingly different hair-color crayon that has a built-in brush. It brushes natural-looking color smoothly and evenly right down to the scalp.

There's no greasy smudging . . . no flaky traces . . . and it is quick, as easy to apply as a lipstick. Gray streaks seem to vanish instantly under the natural coloring of this wonder-crayon. And it is harmless . . . washes off instantly.

If you're suffering from the first-gray hair problem and you don't want to do anything more serious about it than color it as a child colors a drawing . . . here is seemingly the perfect answer. It is also ideal between hair tints, too . . . when the hair isn't quite ready for an all-over job . . . but can take the artistic retouching of crayoning.

This crayon with a built-in brush comes in 12 life-like shades and is contained in a smart, plastic purse—size case . . . which flips open at a touch . . . thereby keeping both hands and purse clean.

For the name of this unique built-in brush touch-up crayon in 12 shades, phone the Beauty Dept., LIBerty 4000, Monday through Saturday, or write me, care of the Boston Evening American, inclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

CHILDREN SHOULD RISE

To settle an argument in our family, will you please answer this question: Should children be taught always to rise when they are introduced?

R. E. S.

Yes. Children should rise when they are introduced, either to a grown-up or to another child.

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Mother's Note To a Teacher

DEAR MRS. BEECKMAN:

Will you please give me the correct form for a letter from a mother to a teacher; for example, explaining my child's absence? And will you tell me, please, exactly how I should sign such a note? I have recently entered my child in a school here, and this school demands a note explaining every absence. MOTHER.

Your note may properly read: Dear Miss Marsh,

Because of the storm yesterday and because Cynthia is so susceptible to catching cold, I thought it wise to keep her at home. Will you please excuse her absence?

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Crossword Puzzle

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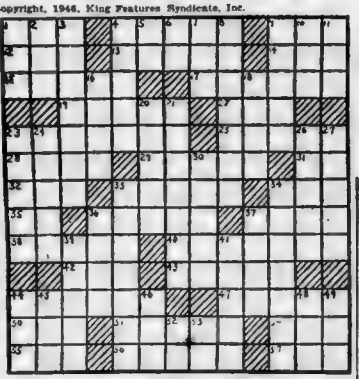

ACROSS

1—Snoop
6—Heads
9—Loiter
12—Shelter
13—Analogous
14—Native metal
15—Divisions of time
17—Charm
19—Devastated
22—River in Switzerland
23—Genuine
25—Rows
28—Algonquin Indian
29—Heavenly spirit
31—Exclamation of triumph
32—Primary color
33—Equals of burdens
34—Marsh
35—Indefinite article
36—Verdant
37—Geometrical figure
38—Masculine name
40—Junction lines between adjacent margins
42—Single unit
43—Russian rulers
44—Pondle
47—Flat-bodied ray
50—Three-toed sloths
51—Dozens
54—City in Brazil
55—In favor of
56—Criticize severely
57—Japanese coin

DOWN

1—Web, as in cloth
2—Female ruff
3—Longed for
4—Outmoded
5—Diminutive for Albert
6—Note in the scale
7—Piece out
8—Legislative body
9—River in France
10—Bow
11—To the right
16—Speed contest
18—Caudal appendage
20—Rub out
21—Thickest
23—Brief extract
24—Feminine name
26—Swiss-French river
27—Wiseness
30—Class
33—Checks
34—College treasurers
36—Independently inheritable element
37—Lie hidden in ambush
39—Trunk of human body
41—Savor
44—Head covering
45—Ventilate
46—Dry, as wine
48—Close bond
49—Eternity
52—Negative
53—Symbol for erbium

Average Time of Solution: 29 Minutes

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Try ALL-BRAN Apple Spice Muffins!
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1½ cups milk
1 egg, beaten
15 slices raw apple or other fruit
1 cup sifted flour
1 teaspoon soda
cinnamon-and-sugar mixture
½ teaspoon salt
Add ALL-BRAN to molasses and milk and allow to soak for 15 minutes. Add egg. Sift flour, soda, salt and spices together and combine with ALL-BRAN mixture. Fill greased muffin pans two-thirds full. Dip apple slices in cinnamon-sugar mixture and place on top. Bake in moderately hot oven (400°F.) about 20 minutes. Makes 15 muffins.
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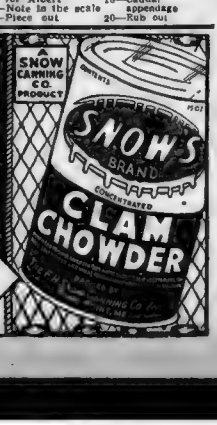
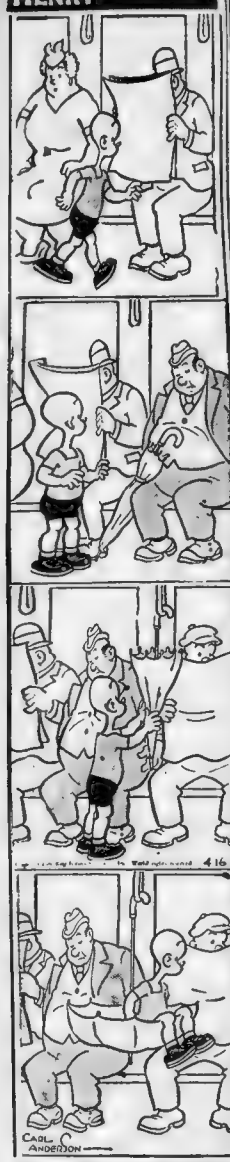


TASTES KEEN ON GREENS
Sprinkle freely on
• GREEN BEANS
• SPINACH
• BROCCOLI

CAIN'S HORSE-RADISH
By The Makers of CAIN'S MAYONNAISE

HENRY



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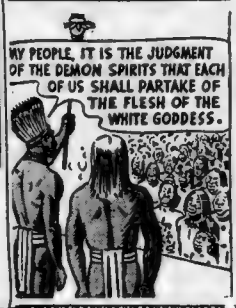

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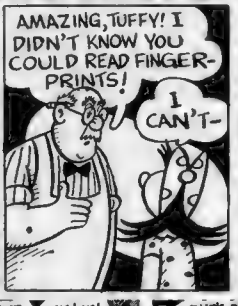

SECRET AGENT X-9

OF COURSE, YOU'RE SHERRY KRATER... AND WHY DOES A GIRL OF YOUR OBVIOUS CLASS HITCH-HIKE ON LONELY ROADS, AFTER DARK? BECAUSE SHE'S RUNNING AWAY!

DOUBLE TROUBLE

TIM TYLER

Lucky Star

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Take the last number of the year of your birth. If it is 0, add 2. If 9, subtract 3. If 8, subtract 1. If 1, add 4. In all other instances use your own numbers. Start at the top left and read your key numbers from left to right. The letters under your key numbers are your message for today.

3	4	2	6	3	5	7
A	P	P	T	B	B	Y
4	6	5	3	4	7	6
A	R	E	I	Y	O	I
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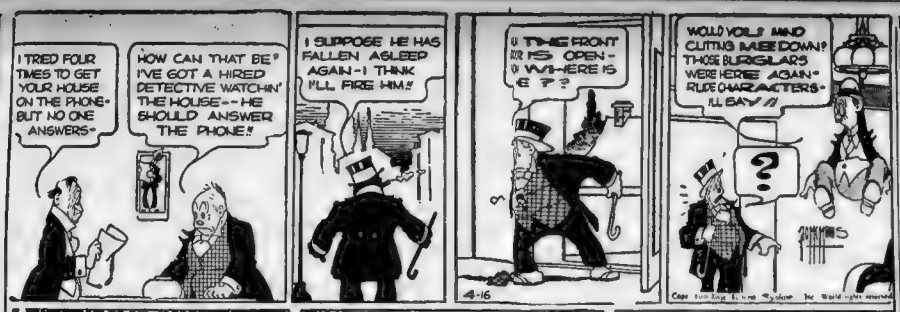
Be sure to follow the Wishing Well each day in the Daily Record.

JIGGS


I TRIED FOUR TIMES TO GET YOUR HOUSE ON THE PHONE- BUT NO ONE ANSWERS-
HOW CAN THAT BE? I'VE GOT A HIRED DETECTIVE WATCHIN' THE HOUSE--HE SHOULD ANSWER THE PHONE!!
I SUPPOSE HE HAS FALLEN ASLEEP AGAIN-I THINK I'LL FIRE HIM!!
THE FRONT DOOR IS OPEN- WHERE IS E P ?
WOULD YOU'S MIND CUTTING BABE DOWN? THOSE BURGLARS WERE HERE AGAIN- RUDE CHARACTERS- I'LL SAY !!
4-16

SNUFFY SMITH

WHAT'S YORE BRIDE GONNA WEAR AT TH' WEDDIN', SUT? NOT THAT I GIVE A HOOT!
BY JEEPERS!! I NEVER GIVE IT A THORT
I'LL GIT MIZ SMIF TO MEASURE HER FOR A DRETFUL PURTY MAIL-ORDER DRESS IN' PUT OFF TH' HITCH!! FER TWO-THREE MONTHS
4-16 FRED LASSWELL
YO'RE GOODER'N ARY A ANGEL, MIZ SMIF
IT COULD STAND ANOTHER BLEACHIN'

DR. BOBBS

CYNTHIA, GO UP AND LIE DOWN THIS MINUTE. YOU'VE GOT TO LOOK YOUR BEST FOR ROGER'S DOCTOR FRIEND
B-BUT I'M NOT TIRED!
A NAP WILL REFRESH YOU- AND PUT A WET COMPRESS OVER YOUR EYES- IT'LL MAKE 'EM SPARKLE-
OH- ALL RIGHT...
WELL-IT'S ABOUT TIME, JANE- I TOLD YOU TO LEAVE THE OFFICE EARLY TO HELP ME CLEAN THE HOUSE
SORRY, MOTHER- JUST COULDN'T BUT I'LL WORK TWICE AS HARD NOW.
JANE - CALL THAT EMPLOYMENT AGENCY AND FIND OUT WHY THE BUTLER I HIRED ISN'T HERE YET!
BUTLER! IN THIS HOUSE- OH, MOTHER THAT'S SILLY!!

ANNIE ROONEY

BAH! I'VE HIRED A FLOCK OF DETECTIVES TO FIND OUT WHERE MRS. VAN LEIGH IS HIDING LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY-
THE STUPID FOOLS KEEP SENDING ME REPORTS, ALIBIS, EXCUSES, BUT NO NEWS ABOUT THE BRAT-
IT'S YOUR OWN FAULT-
YOU CAN'T TRUST DETECTIVES, COPS OR SHERIFFS - THEY'RE ALL CROOKS - GET SMART- HIRE A COUPLA CON MEN- THEY'LL FIND HER AN--
??
DARRELL McCLURE
ANNIE, DARLING, YOU MUST NOT WORK SO HARD
GEE, MOTHER — THIS AIN'T WORK - IT'S LOTSA FUN- I'M JUST PLAY IN' COPS AN' ROBBERS AN' THE WEEDS IS THE ROBBERS -
4-16

MANDRAKE

IF YOU INSIST THAT I LEAVE, I'LL GO. BUT I'D LIKE TO HELP YOU, CRANE.
IF YOU ONLY COULD. BUT IT'S IMPOSSIBLE. I'VE GOT MEDUSA, AND I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH HER!
IF YOU NEED ME, CALL ME. GOOD NIGHT.
GOOD NIGHT, AND THANKS.
I'M NOT LEAVING, UNTIL I GET A LOOK AT MEDUSA.
4-16
TOMORROW- SCREAM IN THE NIGHT

POPEYE

BLONDIE

WHO COULD THAT BE RINGING OUR DOORBELL AT THIS HOUR OF THE NIGHT?
COULD I TROUBLE YOU FOR A GLASS OF WATER?
DO YOU WANT ICE WATER OR PLAIN?
IT DOESN'T MATTER I JUST WANT TO WATER MY GERANIUM
THE NEXT HOUSE I HAVE ISN'T GOING TO HAVE A DOORBELL!
4-16

BUILDING JOBS HALTED

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP) The civilian production administration said today it has halted more than 3000 construction jobs begun in violation of the three-week-old building limitation order.

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Gesture to Business: Truman Heaves 1st Ball

By AUSTEN LAKE

WASHINGTON, April 16—Today is the day when President Harry Truman throws out his first, shiny new baseball and starts the nation whooping until mid-October. The occasion is a novelty because this is the initial instance when a President other than the late FDR has tossed out a ball since 1932.

Austen Lake

Of all the commercial enterprises in the U. S. A. baseball is the only one which prompts our Chief Executives to lend their office, including the Army, Navy and post-office departments to a formal inaugural each spring.

It is a precept that dates back to the first Roosevelt who was moved by the theory that the people like to peer at their official folk and see them perform folksy, simple acts—an example which each Chief has followed down to the present reign.

Griffith Knew 'Em All

WHEN HARRY TRUMAN FLIPS out the inaugural ball today it will be an old story to Clark Griffith, the elderly club owner and chairman of the board, who has bossed the Senators during every administration from McKinley. He is somewhat fuzzy about the eras of Roosevelt I and Taft, but he tells how Woodrow Wilson was a devoted fan for the game's own sake who never missed an opening and liked to sneak his big black limousine into the outfield foul areas where he would sit the sunny hours away, agog as an adolescent kid.

And sometimes Griffith, who had access to the White House, would be buttonholed by Wilson and later by Harding at some minor state function and be ushered into the presidential study where he would be asked to recite little yarns about his business and such things as how Walter Johnson had pitched to Ty Cobb and Babe Ruth.

Harding sometimes laid aside his coat and dangled his feet over the upholstered arm of a chair until some under secretary would ease into the study and cough suggestively behind his hand while whispering, "Ah . . . er . . . the Bolivian ambassador is still waiting." And Harding would hitch on his coat and say, "Now, Clark, I want to hear some more about this and don't be a stranger."

In the latter days of the last Republican regime, Coolidge was a saturnine, inscrutable fan who rarely appeared at Griffith Park on any other than opening day when he would heave out the first ball with his duck wing motion and then sit down with frozen features while Mrs. Grace Coolidge stirred around excitedly and followed the trend of the action intelligently, making little hieroglyphs on his score card with a gold pencil.

Frequently, Griff says, Mrs. Coolidge would appear at the height of the season with groups of women friends and sit the afternoon away applauding in the right places and keeping a sharp eye for foul balls. And once Griff recalls a high foul descending close to where she sat, so that she ducked and made groping gestures above her bonnet, giggling like a schoolgirl when a neighboring fan reached over and caught the ball off her foliage and presented it with his compliments.

There were moments during the latter part of Hoover's term when his political managers tried to color him up with the little humanities in order to sell him back to the American people—a belated attempt which caused them to charter a special train and go up to Philadelphia to watch the World Series. Hoover posed with the players, standing patiently with a wistful half-smile and he shook hands understandingly with Babe Ruth, when Mr. Baseball barged up to the flag-draped box in a camel's hair coat and said, "Hy-yah Mr. President"—a thing which he seemed to enjoy and which left a fleeting bulge on his face until it gradually sagged back to its solemn character.

UNLIKE FDR WHO HAD an essential dash of political ham in his makeup, Hoover was a shy, diffident man who did not like to be stared at. Nor did he have the trick of easy conversation, so that when he stood up to chuck out the first ball at opening games and the camera men would yell, "Just one more and hold that ball up higher" he would dismiss them with a pucker of irritation. Like Coolidge, he had nothing to say on the subject, tho gh Griffith says the White House attaches told him that Hoover read the box scores diligently each morning.

But FDR had command of the fan's familiar lingo and when he posed, from a sitting position with his arm cocked and spraying the scenery with the sunshine of his smile, he would warn the Washington catcher, waiting to receive his delivery, "I've got a lot of stuff on the ball," a remark which few Washington politicians could deny after failing to knock his curves out of the lot.

FDR's interest in the game was genuine, but he was quick to sense its usefulness particularly just before election time when he and a retinue of official party members and ladies would form an automobile procession at the gates and circle the field while the crowd huzzahed and the President waved. And though the late Judge Landis was a hard-bitten Republican who had spit many a gob of hate at the Democrats, he always lent the dignity of his official office to escort the party to its pews and order the presidential standard to be floated from the flagpole underneath Old Glory.

So that was the way it was in the past and the way it is again today. It's American and we citizens prefer rotogravure photos of our Chief brandishing a baseball to those of foreign leaders reviewing regiments of military youth. Nor does it cheapen his office that he lends himself to a business in which the commercial phases are skillfully concealed behind a screen of sentiment, or that the Boston Red Sox and the Washington Senators which open today in presidential review, are practical industries dedicated to making profits for their stockholders. The time has come to make a friendly gesture toward business if only by tossing out a yarn, rubber and horsehide ball. What we need is politicians who will throw out more friendly balls to industry!

Sports Mirror

By the Associated Press

TODAY A YEAR AGO—The Chicago White Sox purchased first baseman Kirby Farrell from Indianapolis of the American Association.

THREE YEARS AGO—Bob Pastor, heavyweight boxer, was inducted into the U. S. Army at Albany, N. Y.

FIVE YEARS AGO—Al Milnar pitched Cleveland to a 2-0 two-hit victory over the Chicago White Sox.

TEN YEARS AGO—Johnny "One Play" O'Brien succeeded Tom Conley as football end coach at Notre Dame.

Mort Cooper Fails to Start

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less walls of a few years back, the fans were very favorably impressed by the improvements made during the off season. Naturally, the new lights were the biggest attraction.

But the short flagpoles jutting out from the edge of the grandstand, the new outfield fence, the floral displays, Tommy Cummings' new concession stands and the generous application of paint, especially that on the under side of the grandstand roof, were sufficient proof to the fans that the new owners are not fly-by-night promoters.

"I'd like nothing better right now," declared Southworth, "than to see Ray and Max stick their heads up out of that runway." He He was referring to Ray Sanders and Max Surkont, whom the Braves purchased last night from the Cardinals and who will join the club over the weekend.

"They'll help this club. That I know, for Ray played for me for three years and I saw enough of Max at Cairo, Ky., in the spring of 1942 before he went into the Coast Guard, to realize that he will be a great pitcher. But I'd settle for a win over the Dodgers."

Chet Nelson's band arrived with the early birds and lost no time going into action. Naturally, the "Pols" waited for an audience before strutting along the grandstand promenade. Their timing was off. They had failed to make an allowance for the holdup at the pass gate, where they were nicked for a four-bit tax.

They appeared just before Umpire George Magerkurth yelled "Play Ball," and so were greeted with roars of "Sit Down."

They didn't attempt to take a bow.

The U. S. Marine color guard was given a boisterous reception as it lined up to march to the flagpole. Then Gov. Tobin, after checking carefully to be certain that every "pixman" got his photo, stepped on the pitcher's rubber and threw the first ball to Phil Masi, who presented it to His Excellency.

Southworth was to lead with his ace, Mort Cooper. The experts had guessed that Johnny Sain would pitch the opening game. Southworth didn't want to change his routine. Mort had opened for him when he was piloting the Cardinals.

But after taking a short warm-up Mort decided that his hand had not recovered sufficiently to warrant his pitching today, so Sain went to the mound in lieu of the former Cardinal star.

Hal Gregg, who won 18 and lost 13 a year ago, was nominated for mound duty by Manager Leo Durocher, who made a couple of 11th hour changes in his Dodger infield. He sent Jack Graham to first in place of Eddie Stevens, who has an impacted wisdom tooth, and the veteran Lou Riggs to the hot corner.

DODGERS	BRAVES
Reese, ss	Ryan, 2b
Herman, 2b	Hopp, cf
Whitman, lf	Holmes, rf
Hermanski, rf	Rowell, lf
Graham, 1b	McCarthy, 1b
Furillo, cf	Masi, c
Riggs, 3b	Roberge, 3b
Anderson, c	Culler, ss
Gregg, p	Sain, p

Umpires—Magerkurth at plate, Stewart at first, Dunn at second and Henline at third.

PRE-GAME CHAT—Leo Durocher, manager of Dodgers, and Billy Southworth, Braves' mentor, talk things over before sending their players onto Braves Field for the opening of the National League season today.

International News Photo by Myer Ostroff

Long, 72, Holds Park Job as Curley Gift

Park Comr. William P. Long, 72, observed his 50th anniversary in the city service today was given a "present" by Mayor Curley, who said:

"I'll allow him to continue in office."

4 Derby Eligibles Tested at Keeneland

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 16 (AP)—Four Kentucky Derby eligibles will test their legs for distance today in Keeneland's mile and one-sixteenth Hamburg Place Purse for 3-year-olds.

Billy Conn Seen Ready to Retire If Louis Wins

By ED KIELY

International News Service Sports Writer

PITTSBURGH, April 16 (INS)—There is a definite possibility that sweet William Conn will retire from the ring if he fails to win the heavyweight title in his scheduled 15-round bout with champion Joe Louis in Yankee Stadium on June 19.

This was learned today from one of Conn's closest friends, who declared the handsome Conn has tentative plans for opening a restaurant in Pittsburgh, should the Brown Bomber shatter one of his everlasting dreams.

"Billy has told me a couple of times," the friend said, "that he is going to quit fighting, if he finds that Joe is an insurmountable obstacle in his path to the championship.

"Fight fans forget that he is no longer the 19-year-old kid that took New York and the nation by storm one night 10 years ago when he defeated Freddie Apostoli. If he doesn't make it this time, it is unlikely he will ever become heavyweight champion."

It was suggested that even though he loses, Conn still could make a lot more money barnstorming around the country as a fighter than he would make in a lifetime as a restaurateur.

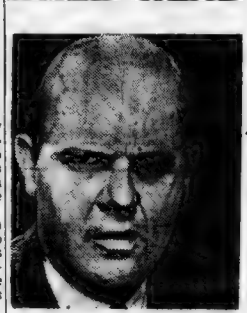
"True," opined the friend. "But first let's see what kind of shape he can work himself into after the four-year layoff. I haven't seen a fighter who has spent anytime in the Army or the Navy who has looked as sharp as he did before he joined the service.

"We, friends of Billy, aren't going to let him go touring around if time and the long layoff have caught up with him. Most of those bums couldn't lay a hand on him, but why be foolish and let him take the chance?"

The friend hastened to add, however, that we felt Conn will be the next champion, pointing out that the title means so much to him that he can't miss being ready this time. He added:

"Billy Isn't going to make the mistake of exchanging punches with a puncher this time. He learned his lesson the hard way when Louis punched him into the prone position. And Billy wants no more of that prone position, especially after four years of Army calisthenics."

YOU CAN'T GROOM A BALD HEAD



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OFFICES COAST TO COAST

Al Priest Choice to Win Over Donahue at Arena

By JACK CONWAY

AL (RED) PRIEST of Cambridge, who first gained fame as a boxer winning an All-America ring tournament in prewar days and who later saw service in the Navy in both the Atlantic and in the Pacific, will try to write another success story when he battles "Jiggs" Donahue of Philadelphia in a 10-round bout at a Sharkey A. A. show at the Arena tonight. Priest, as fiery as his own red hair once the gong sounds for the opening of the first round, will try to knock Donahue out as he did Joe Blackwood, John Henry Eskew and other sturdy fighting men who have tried to halt his ring ascendency.

Al Priest

"I am in good condition," said Priest simply. "I shall keep throwing punches, and will not take a single step backwards. I believe this style of campaigning will enable me to kayo Donahue. They tell me Donahue is tough, but so was Blackwood, Zivic and the rest of the boxers I have met since coming out of the Navy.

Priest is right. Most ring men who reach the main bout class possess some special ability. Joe Blackwood, knocked out by Priest, was supposed to be a soft touch for Joey LaMotta. Instead of winning easily LaMotta was lucky to get a draw.

Donahue has won from Billy Furrone who gave Priest a hard tussle.

If Priest wins, he will have Joey LaMotta, Coley Welch and Joe Blackwood seeking matches with him. This is to be expected as Priest is the hottest box office attraction in New England. Priest is a 2 to 1 favorite.

Pretzie on Card

JOHNNY PRETZIE, Waltham heavyweight who is also a former All-America champion, will be on the card with Ernie Griffin of Hartford as an opponent. Griffin recently disposed of Jimmy Liscombe in this city, and he says he will give Pretzie plenty of opposition.

Pretzie, like many other youngsters entering the professional ranks, was hurried when he first started boxing here following his discharge from service. The public overrates young, inexperienced fighters, and as a result they are pitted against opponents who have had too much experience for them.

Pretzie proved he is a good puncher and has courage even when he was losing. Johnny, however, will require at least a year to gain the experience needed to send him against top opposition.

Random Shots at Target

TOMMY SHEHAN, who has been touring the country with Byron Nelson and Freddy Corcoran, was a visitor . . . During the war Tom was an Army sergeant and was attached to the Army newspaper "Yank" of which Joe McCarthy was managing editor . . . Joe, a former Boston newspaperman and one time publicity director at Rockingham Park, recently signed a three-year contract with Cosmopolitan Magazine calling for $26,000 a year . . . Leo Hofeller, who was picture editor of "Yank," has taken over a similar job for King Features Syndicate and will get out a picture supplement which will be distributed with the New York Daily Mirror and other newspapers . . . Leo's "right eye" will be Nelson Gruppo who was make-up boss of "Yank" . . . Speaking of newspaper office news, Jerry Hern is the new sports editor of the Boston Post . . . He succeeds the capable Howard Reynolds who decided to turn over the reins of his old department to younger hands after more than 40 years in this business.

Tonight's Card

(10 Rounds)

Al "Red" Priest (Cambridge) vs. "Jiggs" Donohue Philadelphia).

Johnny Pretzie (Boston) vs. Ernie Griffin (Hartford).

8 ROUNDERS

Dave Andrews (Lowell) vs. Frankie Young (San Francisco).

Johnny Seaman (Quincy) vs. Brown Bomber (Boston).

4 ROUNDERS

Roy Andrews (Lowell) vs. Frankie Martin (Providence).

'45 Flag Winners Underdogs

NEW YORK, April 16 (INS)—A search through the records today revealed that never before in the history of baseball have two pennant-winners started a season as underdogs.

You can find instances where one winner or the other in the two major leagues was picked as no better than runnerup, but in this year of 1946 both the Detroit Tigers, American League and world champions, and the Chicago Cubs, National League titleholders, are rated also rans.

That Hitler caused all this. While he was at it he created considerable commotion on the American sports scene, although I doubt that he ever gave much thought to this particular phase of the new world he thought he was creating.

He never gave a thought, I'm sure, to the Detroit Tigers or the Chicago Cubs yet unwittingly created a lasting headache for the managers of those clubs.

Steve O'Neil, pilot of the Tigers, probably wishes now that somehow he wouldn't be expected to act the part of a manager of world champoins. They won in wartime. They probably can't repeat and the same goes for the Chicago Cubs, led by Charley Grimm.

In this, the first baseball year since Pearl Harbor, which seems so long ago, the clubs with returning veterans who are still not too old to hit and pitch and gallop will be the winners.

You can pick them any way you like, but Hitler and the war still are settling these pennant races.

The age of the war-fettered New York Yankees is what makes me think in the face of almost unanimous opinion that they will not be able to win this year, despite their fine record in the spring exhibition games. I picked the Boston Red Sox in the American League and stood almost alone on that selection.

However, the Red Sox have bounced back off the war with two things—slugging almost comparable to the Yankees, better pitching than the Yankees, better pitching than the Yankees have displayed and a slight edge in youth. The latter—that youth department—is the one I consider important.

In picking the St. Louis Cardinals in the League I previously explained that they had potentially the best pitching in either major league. Pitching is supposed to be 75 per cent on any ball club.

There is a disposition in some quarters to pick the New York Giants in the National League because of their slugging and a scant few insist on the Brooklyn Dodgers. I doubt that either will make a race of it, and either or both could windup in the second division.

Aside from everything else it will be the most interesting season in four or five years.

Chandler Denies 5-Yr. Jump Ban

CLEVELAND, April 16 (AP)—Ed McAuley, veteran baseball writer for the Cleveland News, today carried in his column a letter from Baseball Comr. Albert B. (Happy) Chandler in which the official denied he ever said "any player who breaks a contract in organized baseball shall be suspended for five years."

Chandler's letter was in answer to an April 8 column in which McAuley had discussed the return of Vernon Stephens to the American League after a brief excursion to Mexico.

In a March 10 story from Havana, Cuba, the Associated Press had quoted Chandler on three points relative to broken contracts, the third point of which was stated in the story as:

"In the future any player who breaks a contract in organized baseball shall be suspended for five years."

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Yes, America's national pastime gets under way once more, and this year in a glorious peacetime setting.

It has been said that England's heroes were made on the playing fields of Eton. It may equally well be said that the fighting qualities, the spirit of fair play, the guts to "take it" and the strength to "give it" that typify America, have their inception on the sand-lots scattered all over the nation from Portland, Maine, to Portland, Oregon.

So, once again there will be many more "Grandmother's funerals" than there are Grandmothers, and thousands of fans looking forward to a "Subway Series" in Beantown.

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Sports Clinic At Lynn

By MIKE GILLOOLY

Schoolboy coaches throughout the state have been invited to the biggest combination football-baseball clinic ever attempted in the ranks, Saturday, when the Northeastern Conference of Schools will conduct an all-day session at the Oxford Club in Lynn.

Although the postcard response has been somewhat slow, Chairman Gordie Connors of Winthrop High is confident that the lengthy —but well-spiced program—will be a big success.

Connors, dividing his time between coaching and masterminding this clinic, has come through with an outstanding program of speakers. The morning session, devoted to baseball, will have Bill Barrett representing the Red Sox, to be followed by a Braves' representative; Floyd Stahl, Irving "Bump" Hadley and Eddie Boyle.

After a luncheon intermission, football will take over the spotlight with Dennie Myers of B. C., Walt Holmer of B. U., Al McCoy of Harvard, Joe McKenney of the Boston School System, John "Ox" DaGrosa of Holy Cross and Henry Hormel, official, on the roster.

Swede Nelson will be master of ceremonies at the banquet, introducing Herb Kopf, Boston Yanks, and Dick Dunkel, whose ratings will be introduced to the local gridirons this fall.

The Northeastern Conference, covering all sports, forms the only local football league. It embraces Winthrop High School, Anesbury, Danvers, Marblehead, Newburyport and Swampscott. Out of this group, one boy who has made his letter in football, basketball and baseball will be named as the athlete of the year in the circuit and he'll be awarded the Frank E. Reed Trophy.

Football will continue to haunt the spring program . . . Somerville and Lowell High School have completed arrangements for an exhibition game to be played at the Lowell Stadium, Friday night, April 26 . . . Coach Tom Lynch of Somerville will be without one of his best linemen, tackle Frank Cotter, who broke his leg in a practice session last week.

A former star at Malden High, Tom Flanagan, has taken over as head football coach at New London, (Ct.,) Tech . . . Flanagan joined the faculty shortly before Christmas after his discharge as a lieutenant from the Coast Guard . . . Flanagan was the only three-letter man in his graduating class at Bates.

Keeneland Entries

FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

1ST—$1500, all'ces., 3 yrs., 6 f.

Billy Perry	x111	Ormeba 113
Castle Heights	118	Puter 113
Sugar Lump	113	Dove O'Night 113
Menever	114	Right Hand 118
Wild Advice	118	White Tours 118
The Curtain	x113	

2D—$1200, clmg., 3 and up, 6 f.

Halcyona	115	Private Howie 120
Ever Flying	x115	Thing Percent 120
Units	x110	Perky x115
Dorothy Louise	x109	Lady Garry 115
Miss Thor	119	Flying Count 120
Newsprint	115	Reskie 120
Brave Bid	x114	Swift Flight 120
Agnes Z.	x110	

3D—$1500, all'ces., 2 yrs., about 6 f.

Bull Dog Miss	118	Sugar Bill 116
Glasier	118	Collaborate 116
Impassive	116	Jeannie Pie 116
Rambird	116	Butterpat x111
Margaret	116	Gulls Forever 116
Air Dome	116	

4TH—$1500, all'ces., mdns., 3 yrs., 6 f.

Martha Doyle	111	Po' Man 118
Red Pompon	118	Stylette x108
Trudican	113	Tennis Ball 113
Centre Ring	118	Flying Reo 118
Adrianita	113	Plucky Belt x108
Taters	x113	

5TH—$2000, all'ces., 3 and up, 6 f.

Army Cadet	111	aHigh Shine 111
Marldown	x111	Comeandgo 115
Here's How	106	Jo Earnest 109
Tawny Lady	x106	
aCalumet Farm entry		

6TH—$1400, all'ces., 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Puritan	116	So Proudly x106
aPinero Bruno	x111	Bon O'Ted x111
aPaducah	116	King Victory 112
Wise Paisano	x107	Hail Victory 116
Doc Gregory	112	
aSpencer and Craig entry		

7TH—$1200, clmg., 4 and up, 1½ m.

Pon [illegible]	111	Owen C. x109
Fa[illegible] Prairie	x104	Early N' Smart 114
Tu[illegible]	114	Military Girl 111
Ack Ack	114	Mintucky x106

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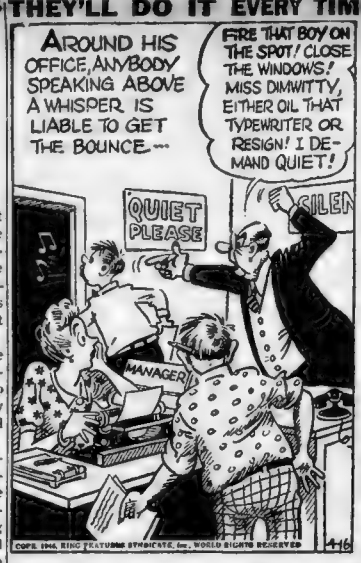
THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME

By Jimmy Hatlo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BC Training Enters Stretch

With the opening of the first formal baseball schedule at Boston College slated for this Saturday, when the Eagles will test the Northeastern Huskies, who already have one win over Tufts, Fred Maguire plans a series of inter-squad games for the next few days to determine his starting team.

It is practically a certainty the lineup will contain Bob Fitzgerald, behind the bat, John Spinner on first, Jerry Daunt on second, Tom Maloney on third, and John Yurewicz in the short field, but the outfield and the pitching selection are open to speculation.

The pitching problem is a particular source of worry to Maguire, for he has yet to see one of his moundsmen go the full nine innings. Although he has a quintet of capable chuckers on hand, none has been on the hill for more than two or three innings.

The B. C. leader will name his starter from among Frank Callagham, who was a regular in 1942, Paul Martin, also a vet of that campaign, Bob Quirk, Mike Crimmins, or Jerry Lovinson.

From a host of outfielders, Maguire will call the heaviest hitters who to date have been Bob Lynch, John Buckley, and Sam Luizzo although Bernie Lanoue, who recently completed spring football practice will be on hand. Lanoue took his cts in batting practice daily before joining Denny Myers gridders on the freshman field and was impressive.

Cantabs Delay Coach Naming

The appointments of John J. Reardon and Edward P. Galligan, as teachers-coaches at Cambridge Latin and Rindge Tech, respectively, were tabled by the Cambridge School Committee last night for two weeks.

The committee will consider the appointments which will pay $3300 a year for teaching, plus $700 for duties as coach. It was agreed that athletic director Leander MacDonald will make the trip to Washington with the Rindge hockey team and be granted $100 for expenses.

NO FEED, HORSE SHOW OFF

LONDON, April 16 (AP)—Because of feed shortages, the International Horse Show at White City, London, in June will not accept competitors from abroad.

Predict Big Season For Trout Fishing

By "TAP" GOODENOUGH

Judging from the throngs of eager anglers that gathered at local streams, brooks and ponds, seeking the wily trout from dawn 'til after dark yesterday, we'd say the biggest season in the history of the sport in Massachusetts was underway.

At every well-known—or remote spot, scores of sportsmen stood elbow-to-elbow, casting again and again, their lines screaming like sirens in chorus. "It was like the Battle of the Bulge," an ex-serviceman declared. "Seems as if everyone went fishing."

A visit to Jamaica Pond in the early morn disclosed that an entire fleet of boats could well have been used here, since casting from the banks is not allowed . . . Few filled their creels, however, with top honors going to Lee Roberts, of Boston, former rodeo rider, who tied into a nice 20-inch rainbow and an 18-inch brookie, on a Maribou . . . Only three days out of the Navy, John Tofloni, Hyde Park, said: "This is the day I've been looking forward to for years."

Fishermen outnumbered the fish at the Charles River Village Dam, on the Dover-Needham line, we discovered . . . Short casts and long faces were frequent, some plying their rods for hours without even a strike . . . Perhaps the brisk winds, which flecked the waters with white foam, were to blame, for but one fair string—six brookies—was landed up to 9 o'clock, by Clayton Smith, of Islington, using worms.

Youthful anglers were numerous at the Dam, all hailing from Needham, where vacation week had started in the schools . . . Youngest present was seven-year-old Elwin Woodard, accompanied by tow-headed Bobby Anderson . . . A group of 'teen-aged experts included Dick Tomkins, Steve Eaton, Wes Curry, and Jim Holland, on the scene at 5:00 a. m.

One of the largest concentrations took place at Lake Walden, in Concord, where nearly 1000 reels were in action during the day . . . The best catches were made at the end of the lake, near the railroad tracks . . . We counted 200 cars, parked all the way down to the turnpike—one reason for the influx . . . Only six skiffs are available here, so many brought their own boats. The trout were hitting worms at the bottom of the lake and Charles Heath and John Baskin, Lexington, each took two 18-inch rainbows.

Both Nashoba Brook and Nashoba Lake, Acton, received heavy plays . . . Marion Wilmot, a local enthusiast, lured a string of seven from the latter; while 14-year-old George Osborn netted a sparkling rainbow from the brook, as his dad watched in approval.

BARTOLO BY K. O.

ST. LOUIS, April 16 (INS)—Sal Bartolo of Boston, NBA featherweight boxing champion, won St. Louis boxing fans' plaudits today as a topnotch fighter. The champion claimed the battle in the fourth round when the referee stopped the bout.

Havre Entries

FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

1ST—$2500, spc. wts., 2 yrs., 4 f.

Ginger	117	Regularity x112
L'Heure	117	Mr. Pleat 120
Golden Honor	x112	eHaol 120
Comely Babe	x112	Gilded Trump 120
Lunch Quest	117	eManchae 120
Helen's Dream	117	aYankee Dollar 117
aGood Example	117	

aA. G. Vanderbilt entry. eS. W. Labrot, Jr., entry.

2D—$2500, clmg., 4 and up, 6 f.

Crazy People	112	Out 109
Sounding Sea	114	Lyned's Lad 117
Buckle Time	114	Specialist D. x109
Rough Amos	114	Junior Four x112
Remomie	120	Toll Away x104
Royal Favor	x104	James Acre 117
Night Duty	109	Bill K. 117
Bugler	x112	

3D—$3000, all'ces. 3 yrs., 6 f.

Naval Base	119	Rollino x117
Caesar	116	Curfew Girl 111
Airily	114	Uncia Doc 122
Sun Helio	122	Call Proof 117
Protemio	119	Avenue Bell x109
Sightseer	111	Tellmehow 119
Upper Level	x109	Bulcote 119
Tyne Bid	119	

4TH—$3000, clmg., 4 and up, 6 f.

Baymetia	114	Audible 119
Run Bud Run	117	Seranek 115
Nona Belle	117	Rockwood Argo 112
Victim	x112	aMiss Case 112
Chatmoss	x112	Abiel x104
Fire Broom	109	Red Blossoms 113
Peipus	x112	aAsk Aunt Ada 112
Cyclorama	x112	Rough Feathers x114

aFriedman and Lunt entry.

5TH—$3000, all'ces., 3 yrs., 6 f.

Earshot	119	Sweetonia x111
Diatribe	113	Always 122
Celestial Blue	116	

6TH—$3000, clg., 4 and up, 1 m., 70 yd.

Entertainment	114	Capt. Caution 110
Mr. Dumjohn	111	Walloon 113
The Wing	x114	Omaha Mike 122
Glaster	x110	Rate Case 113
Floredan	x100	Ballast x110
Alvan	clmg., 4 and up, 1 m. 70 y.	
Betty's Bobby	x113	Above Off 117
Mike K.	115	Headoverheels 116
Lady Escjeston	108	Comanchia x110
Garand	117	Dr. Johnson 115
Your Reward	114	Grey Prince 109

8TH—$2500, clmg., 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Exploit	112	Batik 117
Saxonian	117	El Toreador x114
Alvan	112	My Exit 119
Dorothy Pomp	x107	Ole's Gal x107
River Bank	117	Waiter Light x112
Chatmoss	x112	Lactose x117
Teddy Rolls	x114	Hello Bill x117

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Bing, Bob Can Relax Like Pros

By BYRON NELSON

Watching Bing Crosby play golf is equivalent to taking a lesson entitled: "How to relax while battling par." A very valuable lesson it would be, too, because one of the secrets of success in the game is learning how to be physically relaxed and mentally alert.

I've played golf with Bing Crosby many times and in my opinion he has the ideal temperament for the game. He's as nonchalant shooting for a 69 as he is before a mike singing "The Atchison, Topeka and the Santa Fe."

Walter Hagen had the same ability to be thoroughly relaxed. In fact, most good golfers have. They couldn't stand the strain of competitive golf if they didn't.

There are a lot of golfers who can shoot low scores while playing in friendly foursome, but in competition or before a gallery their scores skyrocket. The good ones play better before a large gallery and with something at stake.

Bing is as hungry for those low scores as any golfer, but you'd never guess it to watch him. For instance, on one occasion I was playing with him at Lakeside when he needed a four for a 69 on the last hole. Whenever Bing breaks 70 on the golf course it is his custom to give the caddy an order on the best tailor in town for a tailor-made suit. Naturally, his caddies are always trying to root him home in less than 70 and the caddy at Lakeside that day was no exception.

We had played the last nine holes first and so we were finishing up on the par four ninth. Bing's second shot was 10 yards short of the green, but he made a nice chip shot to put his ball within eight feet of the cup.

It was very obvious that the caddy, with visions of a tailor-made suit, was very nervous while Crosby was shooting. He got worse when Bing said to him, "Go ahead and line up this putt. It's your suit."

The caddy tried and tried, but he finally confessed that he was so nervous he didn't know which way the grain of the green would make the ball break. Whereupon Bing stepped up, looked it over and knocked the ball into the cup for his 69 and the caddy's new suit.

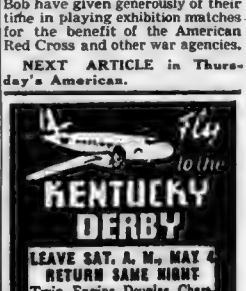
Bob Hope also gets a great deal of fun out of golf. On one occasion I was playing with him and he said to his caddy, "Give me my seven and one-eighth."

"Your seven and one-eighth?" said I, rising for the bait.

"Yes," said Bob, "they're making these clubs in hat sizes now."

Both Bing and Bob have done a great deal for golf. Not only has Bing sponsored tournaments at Rancho Sante Fe, but both he and Bob have given generously of their time in playing exhibition matches for the benefit of the American Red Cross and other war agencies.

NEXT ARTICLE in Thursday's American.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Sullivan Rough On Sebastian

Tommy Sullivan, South Boston, termed the "new Hambone Kelley" added another k. o. win when he stopped Bat Sebastian, Los Angeles, at 1:36 of the sixth round before 4500 in a Callahan A. C. boxing show at the Arena. The net was $5721.

It was a rough-and-tumble tumult, with Sebastian, owned by Eddie (Rochester) Anderson, on the deck no less than five times and entwined in the ropes on several other occasions as Sullivan belabored him with booming rights and lefts. Sebastian's crouching, hiding tactics kept him erect until the sixth.

Sullivan was down once—from a slip. Sebastian took a pass at him while he was on one knee and Sullivan arose, shoved Referee Tommy Rawson out of his way and proceeded to beat Bat into submission. Sullivan weighed 173; Bat 169.

In other 10-round bouts on a bristling program Ernie Forte, 150, Providence, took a unanimous decision over Eddie Ellis, 151, Quincy; Tommy Greb, 133, West End, did likewise over Tony Roberts, 128, Winnipeg, and Mad Anthony Jones, 167, Boston, swept three votes from Coolidge Miller, 169, Brooklyn.

The Callahan Club announced that Bill Weinberg, Chelsea, will fight Big Dan Merritt, Cleveland, in the 10-round feature of their show at the Arena next Monday night. Merritt won the National Amateur heavyweight championship here in 1941; has beaten Lem Franklin, Lee Q. Murray, Curtis "Hatchetman" Shepard and Eddie Blunt since turning pro.

Miss Suggs Paces N-S Tourney

PINEHURST, N. C., April 16 (AP)—Fresh from her triumph in the Augusta, Ga., titleholders' tournament, Louise Suggs of Lithia Springs, Ga., today led the championship flight into first-round match play of the annual Pinehurst North and South woman's golf tourney.

Ahead of the field by three strokes, Miss Suggs was paired today with Beverly Hanson of Fargo, N. D.

The hard-hitting young Georgian fired a three-over-par 73 in qualifying rounds yesterday. She was three strokes ahead of Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page of Chapel Hill, seven-time winner of the North and and South title, and Sally Sessions of Muskegon, Mich., who has been showing well in recent Southern golf tournaments.

Operation Delayed, 'Cookie' Will Play

BALTIMORE, April 16 (AP)—Harry (Cookie) Lavagetto, Brookhand. Lanoue took his cuts in batbeen advised by Dr. G. E. Bennett, of Baltimore, to go on playing this season, but to return for an operation if his right arm continues to bother him.

The Dodgers had announced last week that Lavagetto soon would go to the Johns Hopkins Hospital here for an operation on his arm. It was reported that a chipped bone would be removed from the region of his right elbow.

'Happy' Chandler to See Cubs-Reds Opener in Cincinnati

CINCINNATI (AP)—"Happy" Chandler, baseball's high commissioner, will view today's opening of the 1946 major league baseball season watching the Cubs and Reds at Crosley Field.

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MISS BLAKE IS WAITING. TAKE CARE OF HER, SULLY! SO LONG!
LATER, IN A TAXI, RIP SUMS UP TO HIMSELF...
BEFORE HE KNOCKED ME COLD, I GRABBED HIS WRIST..
ONLY ONE PERSON I KNOW HAS A SCARRED RIGHT HAND!
HE FLED, KNOWING HIS PLAN TO KILL HER WAS THWARTED. HIS HEELS CLACKED LIKE A WOMAN'S! NOT ONCE DID I SEE HIS FACE, BUT I KNOW WHO KILLED FARADAY AND KITTRICK!

Ring Results

By the Associated Press

ST. LOUIS—Sal Bartolo, 128½, Boston, stopped Art Cooper, 131, St. Louis, non-title (4).

TROY, N. Y.—Joey Albina, 157½, Brooklyn, outpointed Antonio Carmona, 154½, Puerto Rico (10).

BOSTON—Tommy Sullivan, 173½, Boston, knocked out Bat Sebastian, 169½, Los Angeles (6).

BALTIMORE—Elmer "Violent" Ray, 194½, Miami, Fla., knocked out Colion Cheney, 182, Indianapolis (1).

TAMPA, Fla.—Tommy Gomez, 139½, Tampa, knocked out Freddie Schoot, 214, Paterson, N. J. (1).

NEW ORLEANS—Tony Olivera, 121½, San Francisco, knocked out Hugh "Peewee" Flores, 117½, Tampa, Fla. (4).

NEW YORK—Billy Granam, 140½, New York, stopped Pat Scanlon, 137½, Ozone Park, N. Y. (5).

WASHINGTON—Herbie Jones, 128½, Washington, outpointed Clint Miller, 125, Elizabeth, N. J. (10).

PITTSBURGH—Cowboy Reuben Shank, 160, Denevr, Col., stopped Carmen de John, 163, Buffalo, N. Y. (3).

LEWISTON, Me.—Corky Davis, 136, Worcester, Mass., outpointed Leo Methot, 133, Montreal (8).

STAMFORD, Ct.—Johnny Rice, 166, Stamford, outpointed Clem Fitzpatrick, 168, New York (8).

NEWARK, N. J.—Aaron Perry, 152½, Washington, stopped Charley Howard, 147½, Pittsburgh (2).

NEW BRITAIN, Ct.—Al Vells, 142, Valley Stream, N. Y., outpointed Jimmy Wynn, 145½, New York (8).

HOLYOKE—Bert Lytell, 154½, Fresno, Cal., outpointed Holman Williams, 160½, Chicago (10).

Hughson Starts for Red Sox

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Mel Deutsch. The second came when Paul Schreiber was hurling.

The magnitude of Ted's accomplishments is brought home by the fact that only four left-handed batters hit home runs in Griffith Stadium all last season.

Tex Hughson was the starting Boston pitcher and knuckleballer Rober Wolff was Washington's chaice. Before they started warming, however, Senator's Manager Ossie Bleuge heard the distressing news that third baseman George Myatt had injured his ankle on the dugout steps before the game and would be sidelined indefinitely.

In his stead was Sherrod Robertson, son-in-law of Clark Griiffith nd brother-in-law of Joe Cronin.

The Red Sox lineup was as Joe Cronin hoped, with Dom DiMaggio in center field, Williams in left, Metkovich in right, Andres on third and Hal Wagner behind the bat.

BOSTON	WASHINGTON
DiMaggio, cf	Robertson, 3b
Pesky, ss	Lewis, rf
Williams, lf	Spence, cf
Doerr, 2b	Travis, ss
York, 1b	Heath, lf
Metkovich, rf	Vernon, 1b
Andrews, 3b	Priddy, 2b
Wagner, c	Evans, c
Hughson, p	Wolff, p

Umpires—Summers, Grieve, Weafer and Papabella.

The temperature had fallen 30 degrees from yesterday's 82. The sky was overcast but the predicted rain had politely stayed away.

There were more cameramen than athletes on the field at 2:30 when the crack U. S. Army band marched through the first base gate and deployed on the field. There was tons of gold braid, and numerous amputees were wheeled into dugouts nar first base where they could get a good view of President Truman, who was to throw out the first ball at 3 p. m.

At 2:45 the Senators lined up on the first base line, the Sox on the third base line. They shifted from one foot to another. The President was five minutes late. The band struck up "Hail to the Chief" and the crowd stood with heads bared.

Cameras ground away, then Clark Griffith and Adm. Chester Nimitz, followed by Managers Joe Cronin and Oswald Bluege, marched ahead of the band to the flagpole in center field.

The President remained in his box, near the Washington dugout on the first base side of the diamond. The players remained on the base lines.

Cronin and Bluege shook hands with the President upon their return from the flagpole. Thereupon the Chief Executive posed with the ball in his right hand, but threw it with his left. The players lined up in front of the box to receive the pitch, and it was "Hard Luck" Andy Gilbert of the Red Sox woh caught it.

He rushed to the presidential box to have it autographed. The umpires argued at home plate, the Washington players took the field and the first peace-time baseball season since Pearl Harbor was on.

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AT TROPICAL

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5—Phone Me
8—Pinckney, Janegri, Rocket Plane.
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AT JAMAICA

1—Jackanapes, Flashy V, Peace Terms, Full House.
3—Pete's Best, Harvest Night.
4—Blue Badge, Crack Time, Darby Daphne, Alarusha.
7—Hairnette.
Clear and fast.

DeMar Ponders B. A. A. Entry

Charlie Robbins of the Norfolk Young Men's Club, national AAU marathon champion, yesterday entered Saturday's B. A. A. grind along with 13 others.

Don Heinicke of Baltimore, who finished third last year, was another big name entry.

Clarence DeMar, four-time winner, is pondering whether to enter. It is expected that the veteran will be among the starters at Hopkinton Saturday.

Olympics Even Vancouver Sextet

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 16 (AP)—The Vancouver Canucks and the Boston Olympics now stand all square in their best-of-seven United States senior amateur hockey championship series with a victory apiece.

The Canucks swamped Boston, 9 to 1, last night, while Boston won the first game, 9 to 6, Friday. The third game will be played here Wednesday.

Expect 52,000 Fans For Detroit Opener

DETROIT, April 16 (INS)—A crowd of 52,000—largest in any major league baseball park—was expected to brave cool weather in Briggs stadium today to see the Detroit Tigers open their 1946 title defense.

Southpaw Hal Newhouser will be on the mound for Detroit, opposed by Nelson Potter for the St. Louis Browns.

IRISH OPEN RESUMED

LONDON, April 16 (AP)—The Irish Open Golf Tournament, last played in 1939, will be resumed July 17-18-19 at Portmarnock, County Dublin. Arthur Lee will defend the crown he won seven years ago with a 287.

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By BILL GRIMES

BRAVES FIELD, April 16—"Well, this is it," murmured Manager Billy Southworth as he watched his boys warming up for the official opening game of 1946 with the Dodgers here this afternoon. Due to a chilly northwest wind the weather wasn't ideal for baseball but, a bright sun enticed thousands to the Wigwam a couple of hours before game time. Most of the early arrivals went on sight-seeing tours around the park.

At game time the throng had grown to 20,000, a most impressive turnout.

Recalling the cracked and paint-

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New Golf Balls By June First

The New England Professional Golf Ass'n, following its 13th annual meeting, predicted today a banner golfing season for New England.

The equipment display was the largest since 1941, and the pros said the golf ball situation was expected to reach normalcy about the first of June.

Braves Play by Play

FIRST INNING

DODGERS—Reese popped to Ryan. Herman singled. Whitman flied to Hopp. Hermanski forced Herman, Culler unassisted. NO RUNS.

BRAVES—Ryan doubled. Reese threw out Hopp, Ryan going to third. Holmes flied to Furillo, Ryan scoring after the catch. Rowell struck out, and Anderson had to throw him out when he dropped the ball. ONE RUN.

SECOND INNING

DODGERS—Graham grounded out to McCarthy. Sain tossed out Furillo. Ryan threw out Riggs. NO RUNS.

BRAVES—Reese threw out McCarthy. Masi grounded out to Graham. Riggs threw out Roberge. NO RUNS.

THIRD INNING

DODGERS—Anderson doubled. Gregg struck out. Reese fanned. Herman singled, scoring Anderson. Ryan threw out Whitman. ONE RUN.

BRAVES—Culler singled. Sain popped to Herman. Ryan popped to Riggs. Hopp flied to Furillo. NO RUNS.

FOURTH INNING

DODGERS—Hermanski singled. Graham flied to Hopp. Furillo flied to Rowell. Riggs grounded out to McCarthy. NO RUNS.

Baseball Fans Gather Early at Braves Field for Opening Game Between Braves and Brooklyn

(INP by Meyer Gutroff)

Truman Sees Sox, Nats Open

By HERB FINNEGAN

WASHINGTON, April 16—Ted Williams dispelled all doubts as to his physical well being at 1:35 this afternoon by propelling the first of four drives over the right field wall at Griffith Stadium here. Three more followed from his bat in due course and buoyed the enthusiasm of the 33,000 fans who awaited the inaugural Red Sox and Senators game that was to start at 3 p. m.

Williams looked pale and taut on his way to the park. However, once he got a bat in his hand he forgot all about the illness that kept him in his room for the 24 hours preceding the game.

He walloped the first of two fence-clearing clouts off rookie

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Red Sox Play by Play

FIRST INNING

RED SOX—DiMaggio took a called third strike. Pesky bunted and was thrown out by Robertson. Williams rolled out, Vernon, unassisted. NO RUNS.

WASHINGTON — Robertson struck out. Lewis rolled out, York, unassisted. Spence singled. Pesky threw out Travis. NO RUNS.

SECOND INNING

RED SOX — Doerr flied to Heath. York singled and when Heath fumbled the ball York went to second. York went to third on a passed ball. Metkovich flied to Heath, York scoring after the catch. Andres doubled. Wagner walked. Hughson flied to Spence. ONE RUN.

SENATORS — Heath grounded out to York unassisted. Vernon singled. Priddy hit into a double play, Pesky to Doerr to York. NO RUNS.

THIRD INNING

RED SOX—DiMaggio flied to Robertson. Pesky bounced in front of teh plate and Wolff tossed him out. Williams hit a home run 425 feet into the bleachers in deep center. That was the first homer hit into that spot sonce Lou Gehrig did it. Travis threw out Doerr. ONE RUN.

Sanders' Start To Tribe Delayed

After hounding Sam Breadon night and day for months, the Braves closed a deal with the owner of the St. Louis Cardinals late last night which returns first baseman Ray Sanders and pitcher Max Surkont to their old boss, Billy Southworth, in exchange of an unnounced sum of cash and Tommy Nelson.

Although Pres. Louis Perini stressed the importance of Sanders and Surkont getting here in time for today's opening game with the Dodgers, Breadon didn't guarantee their appearance. However, he did say that he would try to contact them and, if successful, would have them fly here from St. Louis.

However, Breadon didn't immediately contact the pair, so they won't join the tribe until the Phils series or perhaps the Giants series, this week-end or a bit later. Johnny McCarthy will hold down first until Sanders arrives.

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Fred Cody (Root)	6.80	4.70	3.90
Roomolate (Cherry)	—	13.40	7.50
Lord Loudon (Scott)		—	6.90

Off 2:49½. Time—1:15 2-5. Also—Aiken, Walter Haight, Chance Fair, Yellow Silk, Selma Lad, Idle Man, Miss McLuke.

THIRD—3 yrs., 1 m. 70 y.

Twilight Bay (Root)	5.50	3.70	2.90
Darlin (Weber)	—	9.50	5.60
Grand Flash (Jemas)			3.30

Off 3:18. Time—1:47 1-5. Also—Dot O Dash, Mibili D., Darling Grace.

Cleveland Player's Daughter Under Knife

BALTIMORE, April 16 (AP)—Robbie Anne, 2-year-old daughter of William "Eddie" Robinson, Cleveland Indians first baseman, today underwent an operation which her parents hoped would save her eyesight.

Johns Hopkins Hospital authorities said the child's condition was good but that results of the operation would not be known for some time.

Robinson and his wife accompanied the child here. He missed the Indians' opener with the White Sox.

At Keeneland

TRACK FAST

FIRST—2 yrs., about 4 f.

Petroboy (Bailey)	8.50	5.40	6.40
Studio Play (Dodson)	—	11.00	7.00
Siddons (Bodlou)		—	9.80

Off 3:01½. Time—:15 2-5. Also—Hoosier Gal, Bab's Damion, Little Rita, Wasp Waist, Moutebank, Dark Lace.

Jamaica Race Charts

By the Associated Press

TRACK FAST

FIRST RACE—Purse $3500, for maiden two-year-olds, 6 furlongs. Start fair, won driving, place same. Went 1:20, off 1:31. Winner, Ch. f. (3), by Pompey-Harlem Belle. Br. The Porter. Owner, Isaac Leonard Stable. Trainer, F. M. Burch. Values—$2275, $700, $350, $175. Time—1:10¾.

Horse	Wt.	Pos.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockey	Eq. to 1
Maid of H'lem	113	4	2	2½	1½	1½	1¼	JDJessop	1.50
Volatile	116	6	6	4½	2½	2½	2½	Atkinson	4.90
Leander	116	3	4	3½	2½	2½	3¼	Fernane	3.20
Colonel	116	1	1	1h	3h	4h	4h	Jones	6.30
Noble Creek	116	5	5	7½	7½	5h	5h	Adams	12.80
Gas Baker	109	2	3	6h	6h	6h	6½	Morreto	66.00
Penetrator	116	8	8	8h	8½	7½	7½	Nash	50.30
Jim Jr.	116	9	9	9h	9½	8h	8h	Arcaro	4.30
Portal	116	7	7	10	10	9h	9h	Kirkland	66.75
Lonnie Boy	116	10	10	9h	9½	10	10	Lindberg	68.60

OFFICIAL PAYOFF

	Straight	Place	Show
MAID OF HARLEM	5.00	3.70	2.80
VOLATILE	—	4.90	3.20
LEANDER	—	—	2.70

Handle $264,240

SECOND RACE—Purse $3500, claiming, four-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs. Start good, won driving, place same. Went 1:08, off 2:04½. Winner, Ro. (9), Burnooking-Beauty Shaw, by Black Toney. Owner, Mrs. W. A. Kelley. Trainer, W. A. Kelley. Values—$2275, $700, $350, $175. Time—1:13.

Horse	Wt.	Pos.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockey	Eq. to 1
Boy Angler	118	6	6	2h	1h	1h	1½	Miller	2.70
Hard Blast	126	7	5	4h	2h	2h	2h	Arcaro	5.80
First Gun	116	3	3	1h	3h	3h	3h	McCreary	2.00
Republican	121	10	7	3h	4½	4h	4h	Lico	2.30
Valdina Clown	112	9	10	5h	6½	6h	5h	Schulz	6.20
Jack Madigan	110	8	9	7½	8h	8h	6h	Atkinson	9.80
Lucifer	113	2	8	11	11	10	7h	Longden	44.40
Bob O'Gallfer's	112	4	4	6h	5h	5h	8½	Adams	6.70
Pinchy Boy	113	5	2	8½	7h	7½	9h	Stout	103.95
Jacopsy	119	11	11	10h	10h	9h	10h	WDWrl't	94.75
Steel Chain	118	11	10	9h	10h	11	11	M'Der't	187.10

OFFICIAL PAYOFF

	Straight	Place	Show
BOY ANGLER	9.40	4.70	3.10
HARD BLAST	—	6.50	3.80
FIRST GUN	—	—	2.90

Handle $349,040

THIRD RACE—Purse $3500, The Tulip, three-year-old fillies, 6 furlongs. Start good, won driving, place easily. Went 1:35, off 2:34½. Winner, b. f. (3), Jacopo-New Pin, by Royal Minstrel. Owner, Frank Frankel. Trainer, A. Swenke. Values—$2275, $700, $350, $175. Time—1:13 3-5.

Horse	Wt.	Pos.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockey	Eq. to 1
PRISTINE	113	5	4	2h	2h	1h	1½	James	4.10
EDIFIED	113	6	6	4h	3h	2h	2½	Arcaro	2.80
Darby Devon	113	9	9	8½	6h	4h	3h	Longden	14.80
Waymark	113	3	3	1½	1h	3h	4h	W'dhouse	30.10
Half After	113	10	10	10	10	9h	5h	Kirtland	34.10
Sword Up	113	8	8	6h	7½	6h	6½	Atkinson	3.60
Epinam	113	4	7	4h	4½	7h	7h	Adams	3.20
Run Lady	113	2	2	3h	5h	8h	8½	Booth	34.10
Ens'n Mary B.	113	1	1	7½	8½	10	9h	Persano	34.10
His Daughter	113	7	5	9h	9h	10	10	Luca	12.55

OFFICIAL PAYOFF

	Straight	Place	Show
PRISTINE	10.20	4.70	3.60
EDIFIED	—	4.40	3.50
DARBY DEVON	—	—	7.30

Handle $440,648

FOURTH—Station (Kirkland) 15.10, 6.90, 5.30; Escarp (Atkinson) 5.50, 4.00; Alsigal (South) 4.80. Off 3:09½. Time 1:48 4-5. Also—Fonda, Happy Forecast, Stan Tracy, Carysfort, Sea Wolf, Potomac, Balaruc, Rushlight.

FIFTH—Bonnie Beryl (Stout) 4.00, 2.70, 2.40; Inroc (Longden) 3.10, 2.90; Aladear (Mehrtens 4.40. Off 3:40. Also—The Problem, On The Half, Alworth, East Light, Larkmead Andy.

SIXTH RACE

1—Windfields (Arcaro)
2—Lycos (Adams)
3—Ringos (McCreary)
4—Dagage (Lindberg)
5—Manipur (Atkinson)
6—Dutch Cut (Jessop)
7—Hypnotic (Stout)
8—Blini Remark (James)
9—Aletinu (Kirkland)

FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
8	3	5

At Tropical

FIRST—4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Tied Up Tobin)	11.50	6.60	4.60
Task Bomber (Keane)	—	7.80	4.90
Nancy's Baby (Hufnagel)		—	4.30

Off 2:05. Time—1:46 2-5. Also—On the Double, Elsan, Mercury, Devil's Guide.

Double—Hoof Up, No Quota, $56.00.

SECOND—4 and up, 6 f.

No Quota (Dailey)	4.10	3.10	2.50
Red Fox (Maiocha)	—	9.80	4.30
Sixteen Cents (Wall)		—	3.20

Off 2:35½. Time—1:12 4-5. Also—Conjaught, Spiral Tornado, Renraw, Classic Beauty, On Quad.

THIRD—3 yrs., 1 1-16 m.

aCasano (Sullivan)	8.30	4.10	3.50
Sunset Bay (Hufnagel)	—	7.30	5.90
aMiss Creek (Wirth)		—	3.50

Off 3:03½. Time—1:48 4-5. Also—Excitement, Watch Word, Miss Busybee, Frankish King, Lord Caprice.

aO'Leary and Mimosa Stock Farm entry.

NAVY RE-ENLISTMENTS

Lt. Com. John F. Sargent, in charge of Navy recruiting in eastern Massachusetts, announced today honorably discharged members of the Navy or reserve may re-enlist in the regular Navy at their old rating, even though it is more than 90 days since discharge.

Louise Suggs Wins in N-S Firs. Round

PINEHURST, N. C., April 16 (AP)—Louise Suggs, the medalist from Lythia Springs, Ga., breezed to a 4 and 3 triumph over Beverly Hanson of Fargo, N. D., in the first round match play in the North and South women's golf championship here today.

Laddie Irwin of Glen Ridge, N. J., defeated Mrs. Herman Berg of Minneapolis, 7 and 6.

Don Savage Released Outright to Newark

NEW YORK, April 16 (AP)—Don Savage, utility infielder with the New York Yankees last year, was released outright to the Newark Bears of the International League today. He played with Newark, a member of the Yankee farm system, before coming up to the parent club two years ago.